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State Historical Society COLUMBIA

NAME NORMAL MAN

PROF. FOSTER ON FACULTY OF ARMY UNIVERSITY IN FRANCE

IN HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Largest University in English Speaking World with 15,000 Soldiers Enrolled—Located at Beaune

Prof. H. A. Foster, head of the department of European History and Government at the Normal school and who is now on leave in France in government work, has been chosen as part of the faculty of history in the American Army University at Beaune, France. Word of Prof. Foster's appointment came in a letter from Mrs. Foster, who is now at Huntsville, Ala., to friends here.

The American Army University is the largest university in the English speaking world with 15,000 soldiers enrolled for a three months course. The faculty of 500 members has been chiefly drawn from the American Expeditionary Forces, and is headed by Col. Ira B. Reeves, formerly president of Norwich University in Vermont.

The buildings now serving as study halls and dormitories were used during the war as an American hospital. A farm of 600 acres is used as the main agricultural college, while former workshops of the hospital supply quarters are being utilized by classes in engineering.

The American Army University is one of the four features of the educational system introduced for the benefit of the expeditionary force.

When qualified officers and soldiers are put on "detached leave" to carry on graduate work at British and French universities an American military officer is in command of such a detachment and a representative of the army educational commission, Young Men's Christian Association, acts as a sort of American dean. Former President McLean of the state university of Iowa represents the commission in England, where 2,000 American expeditionary force students are in attendance at universities.

Approximately 250 American educators who have been sent overseas in the last few months and with about 200 educational secretaries previously sent by the Young Men's Christian Association, they make up the administrative staff. Most of the teachers, however, are taken from the army.

DEATH OF RUFUS PALMER

Well Known Colored Man Dies at the Home of His Sister.

Rufus C. Palmer, colored, died last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Smart on West Fifth street. He was thirty-four years old. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 3:30 from the Mt. Zion Baptist church under the auspices of Cyrene Lodge No. 58 A. F. and A. M.

The New Victory Stamp.

The new Victory postage stamp, which will soon be issued to commemorate the successful conclusion of the war, will be wider and shorter than the ordinary stamp. It bears the figure of victorious Liberty, helmeted and with a sword in one hand and scales in the other. The design appears upon a shaded panel, with American, British, French, Belgian and Italian flags draped for the background. In size it compares with other special stamps.

To Attend Trullinger Funeral.

Henry, Joel and T. M. Trullinger and their father B. W. Trullinger went to Farragut, Iowa, this morning where they will attend the funeral of Mrs. B. W. Trullinger, wife of their brother, whose death occurred there last Tuesday.

RAINS CAUSE MUCH DAMAGE.

Miami, Fla., March 15.—Damage estimated at between 3 and 4 million dollars, was caused by rains over Southern Florida yesterday.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

YOUNG MAN HURT IN STORM

Karl Zimmerman, Driving to Town, Nearly Blown From Bridge at Normal Grounds Entrance.

Karl Zimmerman, living northwest of the city was seriously hurt during the heavy storm that took place shortly afternoon today when he was blown from his buggy while crossing the bridge at the Normal being on his way to the city from his home in the country. The buggy was blown against the bridge rails and the harness broken. Karl sustained a broken shoulder blade in trying to extricate himself from the vehicle which came near being blown from the bridge. He managed to get home with the horse and part of the harness, but the buggy was scattered over the Normal campus. He was given surgical attention soon after reaching the home of his parents.

NORMAL DAMAGED

THE LOSS IN THIS AFTERNOON'S STORM ESTIMATED AT $50,000.

AUDITORIUM BLOWN IN

Skylights and Roof Are Wrecked, Windows Smashed, Labratory Is Nearly Ruined—Rain Adds To Loss.

Damage amounting to $50,000 was done to the State Normal by a near-twister which visited Maryville and vicinity this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Much damage was also done in the northwest section of the city, the home of Henry Farrar being unroofed and the building badly twisted. Trees and outbuildings were blown down throughout a wide path. The heavy wind which acme from the southwest was accompanied by a driving sheet of rain that fell in sheets. The rain was general all over the city, but the wind appeared to take a definite path with the Normal building being the hardest hit.

At the Normal the entire west side of the auditorium was blown in, while at the entrance of the room two door casings and doors fell out. President's Richardson's office and the second floor were littered with slate from the roof of the building and windows were blown out on the west side. The Normal campus was littered with slate and glass, much of it being driven deep into the ground from the force of the wind. Much glass was broken in the greenhouse and part of the roof of the power house was blown off. One large cupola on the auditorium was blown from its base and fell on the ground between the north and east wing. Seventy-two big windows were counted blown out.

President Richardson and three young women students were in the building at the time, but none were injured. Men from the heating plant took refuge in the heating tunnel. The skylight on the fourth floor over the art room was completely wrecked while in the labratory bottles were blown from the shelves, a big glass case was broken to pieces. President Richardson estimated the damage this afternoon at between $40,000 and $50,000.

The home of Henry Farrar in the northwest part of town was the only residence reported damaged. The top of the smoke stack at the light company's plant was partly blown off and there was much damage to telephone and telegraph lines. The Farmers phone lines are reported down throughout the section northwest of the city.

No damage has been reported from any of the neighboring towns.

Asks Divorce From Wife.

Ezra Wilson filed suit for divorce from his wife, Minnie B. Wilson, in circuit court today, charging her with receiving attentions from other men. They were married in August, 1900.

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WIN THE FINAL GAME

M. H. S. ON LONG END OF SCORE WITH MOUND CITY LAST NIGHT

LOCALS IN GOOD FORM

DeArmond, French and Kirby Made Fine Showing Shooting Goals Score Was 31-13.

Maryville High School closed its 1919 basket ball season last night with a victory over Mound City High School 31-13. The season's record is three games won and seven lost, two contests having been lost to St. Joseph Benton, and Hopkins, and one won and one lost with King City, Chillicothe and Mound City.

The game last night was a return engagement and was sweet revenge for the first game which was won by Mound City. The local team was easily the superior of the visitors last night, and while the game was hard fought the red and white had little difficulty in winning by a good margin.

The first half ended 12-10 in favor of Maryville, and was by far the most interesting part of the game. The second half was a runaway for the home team, the visitors being unable to score a field goal. This half was 19-3.

Fast playing by both teams was marred by poor passing. The Maryville team showed some exceptionally brilliant flashes at times.

Captain DeArmond was shooting baskets in good form, garnering seven from the field and two from the foul line. French played a star floor game and shot two field goals, and Kirby hooked four from the field besides attending well to his guarding duties. John Price, who has been out all season with an injured knee, broke into the game last night. The line-up:

Maryville H. S.—DeArmond and Cook, forwards; French, center; Kirby, Price and Campbell, guards.

Mound City H. S.—Jackson and Houston, forwards; Dearmont, center; Wilson and Carmihcael, guards; Hays and Childers, substitutes.

Scoring— Field goals: DeArmond, 7; Kirby, 4; French 2, Cook, 1; Jackson, 3; Wilson, 1. Foul goals: DeArmond, 2; Cook, 1; Houston, 5. Referee: Ham, Maryville Normal.

HOPKINS FIRM ENTERTAINS

Sayler Hardware Gives Banquet for Visiting Salesmen—An Annual Event.

The Sayler Hardware Company of Hopkins entertained with a banquet last night for the traveling salesmen who visit the store. Music in the form of a concert program was furnished by Schumacher's orchestra of Maryville, composed of Mrs. Vera Sayler Pickett, Frank Schumacher and Ralph Yehle. The banquet is an annual event with the Sayler company and is in the nature of a spring opening.

ASK YEAR'S PAY FOR SOLDIERS.

Washington, March 15.—A bill providing that all American soldiers and sailors and marines who served in the late war receive one year's additional pay from the time of their discharges from active service, will be presented to the next congress by Representative Baer, independent republican of North Dakota, he stated today.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

SENATORIAL PRIMARY ONLY

Predicted This Will Be All That Will Be Left of Bill When Legislature Gets Through With It.

Jefferson City, March 15.—A senatorial primary, held for the exclusive purpose of nominating candidates for the United States senate, may be all that's left of the primary law in Missouri when the legislature gets through with it.

Senate Bill No. 249, which the upper branch has just passed for engrossment, leaves it optional with the committees of political parties as to whether they shall nominate their candidates by convention or by promary. It is amendatory of the general primary law. But it does not in any way affect the special statute which provides that candidates for the United States senate shall be nominated by primary. To amend that statute, and place senatorial candidates in the same classification as other candidates, another bill would have to be introduced, and today is the last day for introducing bills.

Should No. 249 become a law the committees could provide for nominating all state, district and county officers in conventions. But the committees would have no power with reference to senatorial candidates, who would have to be nominated by primary.

BIG CROP PROSPECT

WHEAT AND FRUIT LOOK BETTER THAN IN MANY YEARS

LAND VALUES JUMPING

Sales Are Active and Transfers Are Numerous—Labor Situation Rapidly Reaching Normal.

Missouri crop prospects for 1919 are very bright, with soil conditions almost perfect; condition of the 4,243,000 acres of growing wheat about the best ever, fruit prospects not damaged by winter except north of river, land values advancing all along the line, and the farm labor supply gradually increasing, is the good news of the grand old "Show You State," in the March crop report by E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes, of the federal and state departments of agriculture.

The stock ofc orn in the hands of Missouri farmers is but 36,142,200 bushels, against 101,430,000 last March. The ten-year average is 33 per cent, with 42 per cent last year and 27 per cent this year. The 1918 corn crop shipped out of the county in which produced was only 5 per cent, against 28 per cent for the 1917 crop and 10 per cent for the usual year. The merchantable part of the crop was 73 per cent, with 75 per cent in 1917, and 38 per cent average.

The wheat still on farms is 11 per cent of the 1918 crop, or 5,846,940 bushels, against 4,056,000 in the bins last March. The average amount of crop on hand in March is 17 per cent. Sixty per cent of the 1918 crop was shipped out of the county, while the ten-year average is 48 per cent.

The oats supply on farms is but 36 per cent of the 1918 crop of 15,910,560 bushels, against 39 per cent last year. Shipped out of the county is 20 per cent, against 39 per cent last year, and 15 per cent average. The barley on hand is 20 per cent of the 1918 crop, or 50,000 bushels, 15 per cent shipped

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See

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DEMOCHATS ON RECORD FOR PRESIDENT'S PLAN.

CONDEMN REED'S STAND

Resolutions Adopted Urges Senator To Abandon His Fight—Township Ticket Is Named by Convention

For Assessor, Robert Aley.
For Collector. Andy Pride,

The democrats of Polk township went on record in their convention at the court house this afternoon in favor of the League of Nations as opposing the stand taken by Senator James A. Reed in opposing the plan. They also declared in favor of a suitable memorial for the soldiers and sailors of the county and endorsed the administration of governmental affairs. The resolutions reported by the committee composed of L. C. Cook, Judge John M. Dawson and J. J. Heifner was adopted unanimously amid much enthusiasm and it was voted to send a copy by wire to Senator Reed, also to the St. Joseph News-Press, the Kansas City Post and the St. Louis Republic.

The convention endorsed the present township board and nominated Richard Snyder for constable.

In th nomination for assessor there were two candidates Barnard Dougan and Robert Aley. Aley got the nomination by a vote of 88 to 66.

In the contest for collector three candidates were named; Frank Shoemaker was nominated by Geo. Pat Wright, S. B. Williams was named by Ed Hamlin and Andy Pride by Jake Chesnut.

On first ballot Williams was low man with 15 votes. Andy pride had 83 and Frank Shoemaker 82. On final ballot Pride counted up 86 to Shoemaker's 80.

RESOLUTIONS.

Be it resolved by the Democrats of Polk Township in mass convention assembled:

1st—We join the people of the land in doing honor to our gallant soldiers boys who have made such heroic sacrifice in the war just closed. They have earned the gratitude of mankind; and the best the nation has is justly theirs. We indorse the proposed movement to discharge them with six months pay; and for our Nodaway county boys, we favor the erection of a suitable memorial, as will, in coming years, do honor to them, and ever remind us and other generations, of thir splendid achievements in the cause of human liberty.

2nd—We indorse the administration of governmental affairs by our great president, Woodrow Wilson, to whom, the eyes of the world are now turned, as the commanding statesman of the age. We believe in Peace and not in War, and for this reason, we approve and indorse the proposed league of nations now being formulated at the peace conference. It has for its purpose, the peaceful settlement of international disputes by an international court, rather than by the names of war. We favor this, and pledge to it our united patriotic support.

3rd—We deplore and condemn the action of senator James A. Reed, in his fight against the league of nations. We believe that the sentiment of his constituents is overwhelmingly with the president in this struggle; hence we urge upon Senator Reed, that he abandon his fight, and truly represent the thought of those who have so often honored him.

Respectfully submitted—The Committee.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Showers tonight and Sunday; continued mild temperature followed by cooler Sunday.

IT WAS JUST LIK LOUVAIN

Berlin, Following the Fighting Between the Reds and Government Troops, Was pillaged Stores Looted.

Washington, March 15.—(via London, March 15).—To save time government troops employed machine guns in the execution of captured Spartacides. Many were lined up in the courtyard of the battle scarred police prefecture and were shot down by machine gunners. "It is just like Louvain," said a German army officer today as he surveyed the quarter of the city that had been wrecked in the recent fighting. Louvain was destroyed by the Germans when they invaded Belgium and marked one of the bloodiest scenes of the invasion when the town was systematically pillaged and burned. The worst damage was done in the district bordering Alexander Platz. Considerable looting was done throughout this section. One Spartacist prisoner carried diamonds worth 80 thousand marks and another had a fabulous bank roll of notes stolen from the Reizss bank.

THE G. O. P. TICKET

WILES GETS NOMINATION FOR TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR

DEARDORFF, ASSESSOR

Convention at Court House Was Devoid of Any Particular Interest with Enthusiasm Small.

The republicans of Polk township in convention this afternoon nominated the following ticket:

For Assessor: John Deardorff.
For Collector: Hershel E. Wiles.
For Constable: Richard Snyder.
For Justices of the Peace: Chas. Hyslop, R. L. McDougal, W. W. Glass, C. D. McKibben and C. S. Stillwell.

McKibben and Stillwell declined the nomination.)

The republican township convention met this afternoon in the circuit court room with some two hundred on hand to nominate a township ticket. The convention was presided over by J. F. Hull, chairman with H. L. Raines secretary, the temporary organization being made permanent.

In nominations for township trustee it was decided to endorse the present township board for re-election, the provision being that in the event the democrats failed to do likewise, the committee should make a choice to fill the vacancy.

For assessor there were three candidates, Herman W. Hull, nominated by Frank Goodspeed, Alfred Green nominated by John Grems and John Deardorff, nominated by A. L. Souers. Green was low man on the first ballot and according to the rules was dropped out. The second ballot gave Deardorff 152 and Hall 93. 121 being necessary to a choice. Hull moved to make nomination of his opponnt unanimous which was done.

In the contest for collector four candidates appeared: Herschel W. Wiles, nominated by W. W. Tilson, Louis White nominated by J. C. Taylor, E. W. Barrack, nominated by J. A. Wray and Howard Strong nominated by E. Busby. On the first ballot Strong was low man and dropped out. The second ballot gave Wiles 141, White 93 and Barrock 36, 133 being necessary to a choice.

E. E. Williams, W. W. Tilson and Ed Tebew were nominated on rules and order of business.

LIVES IN ONE HOME 80 YEARS.

Anniston, Ala., March 13.—R. M. Cheatwood, who recently celebrated his eighty-first birthday, has lived on the same farm for eighty years and has lived in three counties without changing residence. He was born in Benton County, lived in Calhoun County when it was created, and by a change in county lines afterward, in the same home, lived in Cleburne County.

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REACH AGREEMENT

PEACE COUNCIL DECIDED ON REPARATION HUNS MUST MAKE

BIG PROBLEM TO COME

American Delegates, Wilson Says, Have Never Considered Separating League Plan From Treaty.

Paris, March 15.—An official agreement has been reached on the question of the reparation Germany will have to make, it was learned this afternoon. No statement is available, however at this time. A careful canvass of the British and French delegates reveals that the big outstanding problems yet to be decided are the boundaries of Germany and the disposition to be made of the ex-kaiser, von Tirpitz and others.

Paris, March 15.—President Wilson conferred today with various leaders of delegations of the Big Five powers. Programs for future action were outlined for the President's benefit. There are reports that some of the agreements with various commissions are not entirely acceptible to Mr. Wilson. The next few days will be filled chiefly by the President getting results along the line of his publicity of proclaimed principles.

President Wilson will issue an official statement late today denying that American delegates ever considered separating th league of nations plan from the peace treaty.

The American delegates hold that the league of nations matter has been entirely settled and that, therefore, it will be the first feature incorporated in any peace treaty, preliminary or otherwise, inasmuch as it has already been approved. At the session of the supreme war council this afternoon president Wilson was given all information concerning the work accomplished by the council in his absence.

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FINDS WIFE WED TO AROTHER

Private Wm. Jones, Reported Dead, Returns to Find His Spouse Happily Married Again.

Camp Lee, Virginia, March 13—William Jones, of Norristown, back from France with three gold service stripes, wrote to his wife from here that he would soon be discharged. His wife replied that she rad received a report that he was dead and had married again. This is the letter received by Jones:

"I received your letter stating that you had arrived in the United States. Well, I am writing to you to inform you that I, your wife, do not want anything more to do with you and for you not to bother me. If you do there will be trouble. I received a telegram from Washington that you had been killed in action and now I have another man and a baby. I am sending you the telgram that I received from the Red Cross. I want you to give me my divorce within six months, and if you don't there will be something else done."

DRAINAGE DISTRICT ELECTION.

To all the owners of land and other property in the One Hunderd and Two Drainage District, in Nodaway County, Missouri:

You and each of you are hereby notified that there will be held on Saturday, Arpil 15th, 1919, beginning at 2:30 p. m., a meeting of the owners of all land and other property in said Drainage District for the purpose of electing two supervisors for said district, one for five years to succeed F. B. Goodspeed, and one for two years to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of H. H. McClurg, and for the transaction of such other business as may come beofre said meeting. Said meeting to be held at Lumber Yard of Pickering Lumber Company, in Pickering, Nodaway County, Missouri.

Done by order of the Board of Supervisors, this 8th day of February, 1919.

W. E. Hinton, Secretary.

Less than $2 worth of seeds are required to plant a small back yard or vacant lot garden. Several of the seed houses are offering special collections of seeds that are adapted for planting in their trade territory.

Icelanders make bread from ground cod fish flour.

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to filter the acids and poisons out of your system unless they are given a little help Don't allow them to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature.

As soon as you commence to have backaches, feel nervous and tired, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly.

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NEWS FROM

NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

George P. Shoptaugh, the Clearmont banker, came home Monday morning from his trip to Florida, and elsewhere. He went away Jan. 12, and returned March 10, nearly two months. He looked well and says he is feeling fine.

Bolten Neff and John Baker of Clearmont, have traded farms, Neff getting the 110 acre farm of Baker's laying in the bottom, and Baker getting the 25 acre farm of Neff's on the hill. Trade made this week, and possession to be given March 25.

Rev. Ernest Snider, the wideawake, broad and progressive pastor of the Burlington Junction Methodist Episcopal church, is always on the lookout for spiritual treats for his congregation. Bishop William A. Quayle of St. Louis, will be in that city Sunday, March 23, and will preach at the morning service of the loacl church. Bishop Quayle is a leader in church activities and it is claimed for him that his religious views are not confined to denominational lines, being liberal in his treatment of religious subjects, and the citizens of Burlington Junction, regardless of church affiliation, will undoubtedly welcome the opportunity to hear so distinguished a person.

The women of the Ohio Centenary association will serve the annual dinner in the basement of the Christian church of Burlington Junction Saturday, March 29, 1919. No soliciting will be done and everybody is requested to contribute liberally and make this event a success. The dinners and suppers served by the ladies have become known far and wide for their excellent menus and this year will be no exception.

The elevator company at Barnard which recently purhcased the elevator from John A. Fields will meet to organize Wednesday, March 19, in Barnard at 1:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to elect directors for the company and to plan for the business they expect to do. Homer Brown, secretary to the Progressive Farmers Club asks that every man who has already subscribed stock for the enterprise, and every farmer interested in any way in the elevator company whether he has purchased stock or not or expects to or not, to be present at the meeting next Wednesday. According to Brown, there will be men in Barnard on Saturday to explain the proposition to the farmers and to interest them, if possible, in the enterprise. We understand that the company will incorporate.

Another of the Monroe township boys who was called upon to go to France to do his bit in making the world safe for democracy, has returned home. Leland Linville, one who served in the 3rd division, received his discharge from the service March 11, at Camp Dodge, after having been there only a few days after his return from France. Leland is eleven pounds heavier than he was when he entered the service, and is feeling fine with the exception of sore feet. They are gradually getting better and in time Leland will be as good as new. In all his travels, Leland has seen lots of country but no place looks so good to him as this.

J. U. Marshall, a brother-in-law of the Rev. M. DeWitt of Skidmore, came from Glenwood, Iowa, one day last week and rented the G. R. Davis property, just south of Mr. Davis' residence and has taken possession and will make Skidmore his home. His daughter Mrs. Myrtle Northup, also of Glenwood, will live with her father. She and her children arrived Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bosley of Skidmore, moved their household goods Monday of last week to the farm which they recently purchased of Will Freeze. They expect to start soon, to visit an aunt and uncle of Mr. Bosley's at Lockport, Illinois, and from there to the Pacific coast.

Ruel Kinman of Clearmont, received word last Friday that his son-in-law, Jesse Smith, age 33 years and his little grandson, Glenn Smith, age 7 years, died at their home in Ziemning, Ill., Saturday, March 1st and Sunday, March 1st and Sunday, March 2nd, of pneumonia following the flu. This was a surprise, as Mr. and Mrs. Smith were here ten days, leaving for their home Jan. 25. Mr. Smith leaves to mourn his loss his wife, one daughter, Audrey, 3 sons, Dale, Erville and Ernest, father and mother and one brother.

Ed Horn, who has been head mechanic at the Mutti & Brown garage in Hopkins, for several years, resigned the position the first of March and has moved to Clearmont. He is a first-class mechanic and will be missed by many auto owners in this vicinity. Grover Thompson has been added to the force at the Mutti & Brown garage since Mr. Horn left. Mr. Horn has a position with a hardware firm in Clearmont.

Mrs. Wm. Nicholas of Hopkins, has just received the announcement of the marriage of her son, Glen (Toad) Clark to a Miss Mary McShea, the wedding taking place Dec. 15 at the home of the bride's parents in Liverpool, England. Glen is now a corporal with a motor supply company and has made a splendid record as a soldier, but still likes to play jokes. On the 4th of last July he visited London with ten big American trucks so he posted all the drivers to cause their engines to back fire as soon as a certain part of London was reached. The hour was early and when the big engines began to roar and back fire, the word went throughout the city that an air raid was on and the Lord Mayor at once sent out men to investigate. It looked for awhile as if the motor men were going to get into trouble but Corporal Clark squared things by explaining the engines were cold, this fact causing them to backfire and although it was hot enough to roast eggs, the Englishmen accepted the explanation and the young Americans went on celebrating for quite awhile.

Glen and his bride will sail for America as soon as he is relieved from service.

Ed Northover, the prominent farmer and stockman living a mile south of Hopkins, who is making quite a record in the feeding game, advances a new idea, at least it is to us. The question of pasture is a bugaboo to the average man who handles cattle, it being next to impossible to secure grass land and when you do, the price asked for it is almost prohibitive if the renter expects to get out alive on it. Ed says the silo is the only salvation of the man who wishes to profitably continue in the cattle business, and one silo is not enough on the average farm, two big ones on a 200-acre farm being none too many, for his idea is to feed silage in the summer as well as during the winter months, making the ensilage take the place of grass, it being so much cheaper than the grass when the high price of pasture land is taken into consideration. Of course he wants some grass but by feeding ensilage, he believes one acre will go farther than three or four acres without the ensilage. Anyway, it is something that farmers can think about, and one thing is certain—silo agents will be of one accord in saying Ed's head is level.

A FREAK BULLET WOUND

Soldier Shot in Left Leg, the Missile Was Found in His Right.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 13.—How the X-ray vindicated itself in France is told by Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas S. Arbuthnot, formerly of a base hospital unit.

A soldier was wheeled into the operating room. Plainly there was a ragged wound on the left leg showing where the bullet had entered. But directly opposite the wound, on the right leg, the skin of which was unbroken, the X-ray machine pointed out the location of the bullet.

The bullet struck the shoulder just below the left knee, went up the leg, caromed off the pelvis and then, came down the right leg without showing another mark. The surgeons probed and found the bullet.

WHEAT FOR MACARONI.

From the Ohio State Journal.

Wheat for macaroni making is of a special quality of hard garin, rich in gluten. Most of it is imported into Italy in normal times, largely from Rumania, atlhough North America furnishes a considerable part. California wheat is preferred to all other varities as being of the best quality, hard, large and very clean.

Of the 32,278 students enrolled in the public schools of the territory of Hawaii 13,380 are Japanese.

Influenza and kindred diseases start with a cold.

Don't trifle with it. At the first shiver or sneeze, take

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

WHY ADVERTISE?

A FEW REALIZE ITS VALUE AND OTHERS DO NOT.

FARMERS POINT THE WAY

Value of Farm Sales Publicity a Guide for Merchants, Indicated by Nearly Every Paper in This Section.

The following from the Atchison County Mail should be of interest to business men in all lines:

Rather strange, isn't it, that the farmer of this section should be the man to point the way for the merchant in proving the value of newspaper advertising? But it appears to be the case.

Any subscriber to The Mail knows for himself that during the recent winter months this paper has carried an unusually large amount of public sale advertising. Does anyone for a moment suppose that farmers who placed these ads did so through any philanthropic feeling for the publisher of this paper? We believe not.

The farmer who determines to hold a public sale of live stock, implements and other impediments of the farm realizes before he has listed the stuff he will offer for sale that the one really effective medium through which to reach bidders and buyers is in the columns of some publication of good circulation. And he promptly places an order for sale bills and space in the paper of his choice.

A few years ago, experience has shown us, the farmer seemed to feel that he wanted a large number of bills and only a fair-sized ad in the paper. Today many of them do not care at all for the bills but ask that the ad in the paper be of liberal space and see that it is also placed in other papers in contiguous territory, thus gaining a still wider circulation of the fact that a public sale is to be held on a certain date.

Last week's Western Enterprise analyzed the advertising in the previous issue of The Mail in a thorough manner, and since it was done by a newspaper outside of Rock Port its value as a matter of comparison between the farmer's appreciation of newspaper space and the attention given it by merchants is interesting.

The Enterprise had this to say:

"Last week's Atchison County Mail carried nearly 850 inshes of display advertising, the bulk of it being by farmers advertising public sales. The advertising by the merchants of the town was very light. It would seem that the merchants of Rock Port might take a valuable tip from their farmer friends, for they have shown the merchants that they know the value of printer's ink. The Fairfax Forum of last week carried nearly 750 inches of display advertising and about two-thirds of that was advertising public sales. However, in that case we are inclined to the belief that the farmers got their inspiration from the merchants, for the Fairfax merchants are good advertisers. If The Enterprise could get a few weeks' run of such advertising as was carried in The Mail and Forum last week we would be putting in a new power press. We can't hope for any such, however, for farmers around Westboro are too well satisfied to want to sell out and go away. Considering the size of the town—two general stores and a bank—The Enterprise is well patronized in an advertising way. Our two general stores are the best advertisers in the county and it pays them, too. They have customers every week coming right out of adjoining towns and they are satisfied customers, too, for our merchants always measure up to their advertisements."

Continuing, The Enterprise remarked about the various enterprises in Westboro and commented by saying that most of them didn't seem to realize that Westboro had a newspaper.

This is especially true in Rock Port. Had The Mail two or three as consistent advertisers as The Enterprise and the Fairfax Forum we would feel satisfied at the patronage, since with some firms year-around advertising may not be especially profitable. With a general store, furnishings establishments, groceries and the like, however, an ad in the newspaper EVERY WEEK gets results that prove the value of printer's ink. These ads need not be of full page size; a 20-inch or 30-inch ad will serve the weekly purpose of a large store, excepting when some special occasion arises or a new season begins.

Last week's Hamburg Reporter bears out what we have said above, in the following item:

"Recently a farmer came into the Reporter office to have an advertisement placed for a farm sale which he was going to hold. We asked him how many bills he would want, to which he replied that a very few would serve his purpose. He then went on to say that he would not give the advertisement in the paper for all the bills we could print in a week. This was something we wanted to hear more about, so we led him on.

"This farmer contends that the advertising columns of the paper are just as important, if not more so, than the news, and usually the first to get attention at his home. Mr. Farmer goes on to say that he believes no up-to-the-minute merchant can do the business he should without the aid of the advertising columns of the newspaper. Merchants should not be ashamed of their goods, and if they will only tell the people what they have, and then back it up, they are sure to succeed and increase the volume of business."

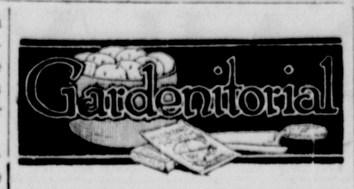
Reading the two comments above, taken from papers in different towns, it would seem the farmer has greater foresight in placing ads in the papers than does the merchant who depends every day in the week and every week in the year on getting customers into his store, but falls flat on getting these customers because of his short-sightedness in failing to advertise.

Some of the most hidebound ones fall back on the old chestnut "Everybody knows where my store is." Sure they do—unless they are newcomers in the territory—but who knows when most merchants receive new items of stock or late arrivals of new fads unless newspaper space is used to tell it?

W. A. Spanger who recently underwent a serious operation at Ensworth hospital at St. Joseph is reported to be getting along nicely and his complete recovery is shortly expected.

It is surprising how many early plants can be started in a window box.

Are your garden tools ready? It will not be long now until they will be needed.



Garden Dirt is the best Pay Dirt.

Don't be a quitter, but plant a garden again this year.

Why not shade your back porch with a screen of Lima Beans? The crop may surprise you.

If you think the home garden doesn't pay, just try going to market with less than $5 in your pocket.

What's become of the old-time gardener who planted his potatoes in the Moon? Plant yours in the Earth.

There are plenty of garden seeds, but the supply of extra good ones is always small. Order early and get the best.

Every member of the family will require nearly eleven hundred meals this year. How many of these are coming from the home garden?

The bean family is an old friend of man. The ancient Roman family name Fabius is derived from a word meaning bean. Adopt a Fabian policy anl plant beans. No other vegetable is more sure to give returns.

Two cabbage heads are better than one, and twenty are better still. A warm, rich soil is needed for early cabbages. They mature in time to leave the ground free for warm-weather crops like beans, tomatoes, and so on.

Agriculture has made great advances in modern times, but the advice of Pliny the Elder who lived nearly twenty centuries ago is still good for gardeners: "Dig deep, manure well, work often."

DESPONDENT WOMEN.

A prominent writer claims that "women are naturally despondent," but often mental depression may be attributed to the adnormal condition of the system, which expresses itself in nervousness, backache, headaches, sleeplessness, and consequent despondency. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound goes to the root of this trouble, it gives tone and strength to the system and restores women to a normal, healthy condition.—Adv.

Chickens will not give adequate returns in eggs or growth when kept under insanitry conditions.

Do't brag about your garden, but dig and keep right on digging.

All Choked Up With Catarrh? Why Continue Makeshift Treatment?

Sprays and douches will never cure you.

Catarrh is annoying enough when it chokes up your nostrils and air passages, causing painful and difficult breathing and other discomforts. But the real danger comes when it reaches down into your lungs.

This is why you should at once realize the importance of the proper treatment, and lose no time experimenting with worthless remedies which touch only the surface. To be rid of Catarrh, you must drive the disease germs out of your blood.

Splendid results have been reported from the use of S. S. S., which completely routs from your blood the Catarrh germs, for which it is a perfect antidote.

S. S. S. is sold by all druggists. If you wish medical advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. B, Atlanta, Ga.

Tire Bargains

32x3½	Portage Smooth Tread Casing	$17.00
32x4	Portage Smooth Tread Casing	$23.00
32x3½	Portage Non-skid Casing	$19.50
32x4	Portage Non-skid Casing	$26.50
30x3	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$12.50
30x3½	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$15.00
30x3½	United States Non-skid Casing	$15.50
32x3½	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$16.50
32x4	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$22.20
30x3	United States Inner Tubes	$ 2.40
30x3½	United States Inner Tubes	$ 2.90
32x3½	United States Inner Tubes	$ 3.25
32x4	United States Inner Tubes	$ 3.75
34x4	United States Inner Tubes	$ 4.00
31x4	United States Inner Tubes	$ 3.80

READ ON: We want to get the name of everyone in Nodaway county who has now, or will likely buy during the coming season an automobile of any kind. Until March 31st the above prices apply to the tires we have on hand only when the cash or check is accompanied by the following report properly filled out, giving the names of five neighbors or friends who now have or will likely buy a car this year.

Name	P. O. & Rural Route	Owns	State Kind Will Buy

A separate report must be made for each casing or tube. Additional blanks will be furnished upon request.

Lowry Hardware and Implement Co.

TRADE MARK

The City of GOODRICH. Akron, Ohio

No More Days Of Less

Meatless, heatless, wheatless are days of the past; but the thrift born of them is with us to stay.

To demand the utmost for a dollar is one great lesson the world has learned. Along with other days of less, it has cancelled days of less service.

Service has always been the Goodrich measure of the value of tires; that is, what a tire proves itself worth you in service on your car, and on the road.

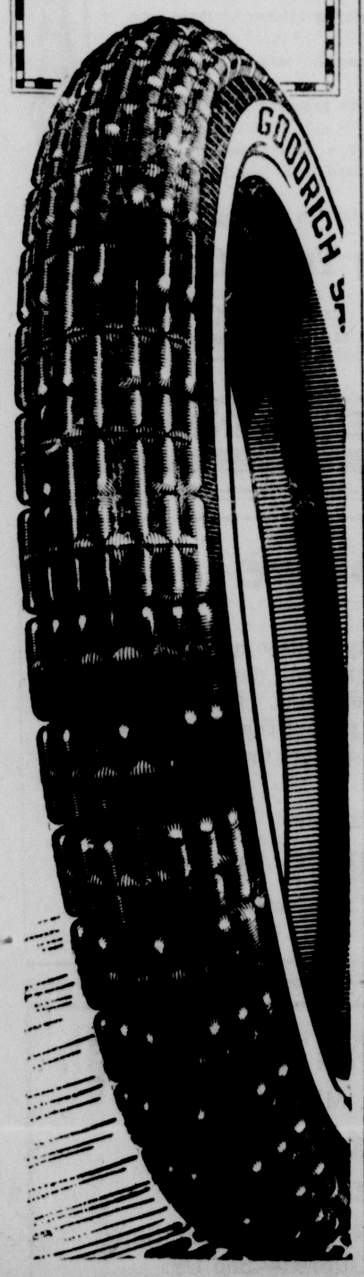
You see promise of service in the burly, full rounded bodies of Goodrich Service Value Tires; and their thicker SAFETY TREADS, extra wide to fortify the sidewall against rut grinding.

You get fulfillment of promised *service value* in their dependability and durability wherever you take them.

Buy Goodrich Tires from a Dealer

GOODRICH TIRES

"BEST IN THE LONG RUN"



SOCIETY *and* CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 688

Miss Basford Visiting in St. Joseph.

Miss Della Basford went to St. Joseph this morning where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. J. Doran, during the week.

Lewis-Hanna.

Donald Hanna and Miss Cecil Lewis, both of Clearmont were married Monday at Braddyville, Iowa, The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hanna of Clearmont and his bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Lewis living wst of there.

Hal Cattersons Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Catterson entertained a few friends with an informal evening at their home last night to celebrate Mr. Catterson's birthday anniversary. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Juvenal and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crossan.

Taylor—Garrett

Andrew Garrett and Miss Cecil Taylor, both former residents of Clearmont were married Saturday, March 8, at Denver, Colo. The groom is a brother of Howard Garrett of Clearmont and both he and his bride are well known in Nodaway county.

Blanche Abel Hostess.

Blanch Abel, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abel of Burlington Junction had her sixth birthday Monday and in the afternoon entertained a party of friends who were Wilda and Alberta Jones, Eva Spangler, Elizabeth and Ralph Greenelsh, Freddie Hoffman, Mildred Jones, Marjorie Hankins, Rony and Virginia Gray.

Mrs. Lee Crossan Entertains.

Mrs. Le Crossan entertained at dinner at her home on Normal avenue last night the following guests. Miss Grace Langdon, Misses Rose and Lenora Schumacher and their house guest Miss Schumacher of Green Bay, Wis., Misses Kittle and Della Grams, Miss Brtha Anderson, Mrs. R. L. McDougal and Mrs. James Anderson.

Tourist Meeting Changed.

The meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club, set for Tuesday afternoon, on account of the anniversary luncheon to be given Monday, has been postponed one week. It will be held Tuesday afternoon Mar. 25, at the Elks club and a lecture on South America will be given by Mr. C. Edwin Wells of the Normal faculty The entire club membership is invited to this lecture.

Society Gives Special Program.

The Women Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to make plans for a special thank offering service to be held Sunday March 23. This service will take place at the morning church hour and there will be a sermon by Dr. G. S. Cox and other special features.

Celebrates Fourth Birthday.

Mrs. Kennard Rogers of Clearmont, entertained a number of children last Tuesday afternoon to celebrate the fourth birthday anniversary of her son Charles. The children present were: Walter Newlon, Harry Green, Oliver Gregory, Mary Jane Newlon and Charles and Elaine Rogers.

Mrs. Loucks Hostess.

Mrs. Mark Loucks of Skidmore, was hostess to the meeting of the Neighborly club Wednesday afternoon when she entertained the members and a few other guests. Mrs. Loucks was assisted by Mrs. J. O. Miller in serving luncheon which was carried out in the club colors of pink and white.

Have Wisconsin Guest.

The Misses Rose and Lenore Schumacher have as their house guest their cousin, Miss Mae Schumacher of Green Bay, Wis. Miss Schumacher will remain for an indefinite visit of a month or more.

Entertain Homemakers.

The Homemakers Circle of the M. E. Church, South, was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. James Blagg and Mrs. R. M. Barry at the home of the former. The Circle extenedd an invitation to Rev. R. C. Holliday, pastor of the church to use the obligation of the society as the basis for a sermon in the near future. An interesting talk "Why I am a Homemaker," by Mrs. M. E. Farrar was most interesting. Twenty-seven members were present. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will b with Mrs. L. P. Colvin and Mrs. W. H. Campbell, hostesses.

Mrs. Lewis Wilson Hostess.

Mrs. Lewis Wilson was hostess to the Merry Minglow Club Thursday afternoon, March 13. The afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. A dainty luncheon wase served by the hostess, aided in serving by Miss Minnie Jaeger, Clara Steins, Mrs. Verlin Conley. The guests were: Mrs. Washington Macer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jaeger and Lewis Wilson. Members present: Mrs. Verlin Conley and children, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. James Lacey, Mrs. T. F. Tallon, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. A. B. Stiens, Mrs. Fred Wallace, Mrs. Will Trullinger, Mrs. H. J. Lind, Mrs. A. Marsh, Misses Minnie Jaeger, Nina, Armstrong, Nettie Smock, Clara Steins, Kathryn Mercer, Teresa Jaeger,. The next meeting will be on March 20th with Mrs. Will Trullinger.

Spend Delightful Afternoon.

Division A of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church entertained the other three divisions with a afternoon at the church Thursday. The program was arranged by Mrs. John Richey and Mrs. W. A. Miller and the numbers given were recitations by Doris Wallace and Vivian Miller, solo numbers by Mrs. Sarah Wright and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, a reading by Mrs. H. W. Metzler, a violin solo by Mrs. Loren Schnabel, a talk by the society president, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, and a vocal solo by Miss Blanche Alexander. Through the courtesy of Mr. H. L. Raines who loaned the instrument, a victrola program was given during the luncheon hour. Tea was poured by Mrs. Walton C. Frank and Mrs. James Colvin and they were assisted by Mrs. J. J. Heifner, Mrs. Frank Roelofson, Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. Rebecca Gray, Mrs. M. L. Grable and Miss Clara Roelofson. One hundred members were entertained.

Birthday Party.

Miss Vivian Lacey entertained a number of her friends to help celebrate her birthday anniversary Monday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. Prizes were awarded to Miss Edith Marsh, Miss Leona Watkins and Dale Marsh. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. James Lacy, Mrs. L. T. McKibban and Leona Watkins. Those present were Misses Edith Marsh, Mabel Monroe, Mildred Looker, Inez Lacy, Della Watkins, Audrey Looker, Hazel Belcher, Lottie Childress, Leona Watkins, Messrs. Cleo Trusty, Lester Childress, Mervin Jones Floyd Allen, Marion Childress, Lester Looker, Chester Jones, Dale Marsh, Okley Belcher, Lemuel Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McKibban and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lacy.

Your mirror pays constant tribute to your charming complexion, if you use delicate, fragrant
SOUL KISS
Face Powder
Mayer Bros. Drug Co.
St. Louis, Mo.
Try Soul Kiss Rouge
SOUL KISS
FACE POWDER

Get — **Soul Kiss** Face Powder at **GAUGH & EVANS** We sell Satisfaction.

Forum-ettes

Mickey, the office boy says: Editors is sure forgivin' cusses! A guy kin die an' beat 'em outen eleven years' subscription an' then the editor'll set down an' write half a column about what a fine feller the deceased wuz an' how everybody will miss him!"

A Maryville man says he's going to propose his wife for membership in the United States Marines because their slogan is "The first to fight."

We'd be willing to bet a reasonable sum that no married man ever gave a satisfactory answer to that ages old question, "Would you get married after I should die?"

What has been regarded as airy persiflage between the governors of North Carolina and South Carolina when one of the statesmen remarked to the other, "It's been a l[illegible] drinks," is going to mean something when it is spoken in a few years.

Sent In: When Frank Reuillard was down to St. Joe not long ago he boarded an Interrurban car and took a seat along with a very attractive individual. "Reuilly" weighs something less than 250; the man who occupied the seat with him weighed perhaps a little over 100. Said the cadaverous one with a chuckle as the conductor collected the fares: "If they charged by weight you'd have to pay more." "And if they did the car wouldn't stop for you," was Frank's quick retort.

Of course not all the wonder tales are true, but what we started to say was that we saw a cat last night in our back yard that had a chicken head. And that reminds us of another curious thing about a certain young lady at whose home we visited recently—she had a cedar chest.

BIG CROP PROSPECT

(Continued from page 1)

out of the county, against usual 12 per cent.

Land Values on Increase.

Land values are jumping and sales are active, with a much larger number of transfers now than for several years The farm labor supply is 10 per cent over last year, but still 20 points under a normal year. By the middle of the season it is expected that the matter will adjust itself.

The acreage of corn, according to investigations just closed, will be reduced from 1918 because of the unprecedented wheat seeding. The oats acreage will be reduced for the same reason. In a few counties where the 1918 corn crop was very short from drought the outlook is for an increase of the oat acreage. The spring seeding of clover is 5 per cent more than last year.

Bright Prospect for Fruit.

The condition of apple buds and trees at this time is 88 per cent normal, with no very serious damage to buds during the winter. In the southern portion of the state buds of early blooming varieties are quite well advanced. However, no serious damage is expected in March, but April is most dangerous for the set of the 1919 apple crop. The condition of peach buds and trees is now 75 per cent of normal, ranging throughout the state from 50 per cent in the north to 90 per cent in the south. No severe damage to buds has occurred on the south side of the Ozark divide.

The condition of Missouri wheat today is 97 per cent, with some damage to exposed knobs in January, and by freezing and thawing during the last two or three weeks while the ground was full wet. Some Hession fly is present in scattering sections, but condition is reported exceptionally good in practically every county. Soil condition is 98 per cent of normal, and in much of the state is above normal, especially in those sections which suffered most severely from drought.

General prospects are mighty good. Soil is well soaked. More plowing was done during the winter than for several years. Spring plowing already begun was stopped by recent rain and snow. Oat seeding has begun, but will be later than in 1917 and 1918. Seeding of spring wheat in several counties began as early as January, not progressing far, however, but the 1919 crop is of more than usual interest. Farm stock sales are unusually numerous, with prices of live stock and foodstuff very attractive. All animals have generally done well, and are coming through the winter in good shape with no epidemics. Forage is scarce, and corn is being shipped into most counties to finish cattle and hogs on feed.

ONE DON'T AFTER ANOTHER

Northwestern Co-Eds Have List Which Bars Even Pink--Plays Havoc With Male Emotions.

Chicago, Ill., March 13.—The life of the fair co-ed at Northwestern University is becoming just one don't after another.

Because certain shades of pink are said to play havoc with male emotions, bingo! ping dresses are barred by Dean Mary Ross Potter. Then again the co-eds no matter what the dance, must keep a good, safe six inches in distance from their dancing partner. Taxicab rides are barred; telephone calls after ten o'clock p. m. are barred, and the doors to all cafes frequented by men have been closed by Dean Mary to the fair co-ed.

Then to top off this the fair co-eds picture must not appear in the newspapers. True, the pictures of the fair co-eds have been appearing in Chicago papers quite frequently here of late, but when a good-looking co-ed busts all rules, figures in an elopement or in other ways makes herself "worth a story" with "art," he would be a heartless editor who would deny the public a peep at the fair co-ed's picture.

But Dean Mary says "no," and to prevent this has ordered all photographs appearing in the Syllabus, the year book, copyrighted to keep the editors from reprinting them. It's hard on the editor, the co-ed and the public, but rules were made to be broken, says one fair co-ed.

Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

Methodist.

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor. The morning anthem will be, "O, Sing Unto the Lord," (Buck). Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. Evening worship at the usual tiem, with sermon by the pastor and anthem by the choir, "Cast Thy Burden on the Lord," (Hosmer). The Minute Men will speak at both services.

South Methodist.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets, R. C. Holliday, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. with sermon by the presiding elder of the district, Rev. H. D. Thompson. Epworth League at 7:30 with sermon by Rev. Mr. Thompson. Minute men will speak at each service.

Christian.

First Christian, Buchanan and Third Sunday school 9:30. There will be a special program in the main auditorium in charge of the Loyal Women's Class, Mrs. C. B. Roberts, teacher. Special programs will also be given in the Junior and Primary departments. Preaching at 11, sermon by Prof. H. A. Miller, subject, "Mansions of the Soul." Christian Endeavor at 6:30. No evening service.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins, Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor.—Sunday Sunday school at 10 a. m., C. E. Wells, superintendent. Morning worship at 11, sermon by the pastor, subject "A New Emphasis on an Old Truth." Evening: A missionary pageant, "The Spirit of the Westminster Guild," presented by the Guild assisted by the choir and Sunday school orchestra.

Baptist.

First Baptist, corner Market and Jenkins, W. C. Ferguson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock, I. E. Tebow, superintendent. Preaching services at when the pastor will preach on the subject on the subject of "Loyalty to Christ." Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, "The Untroubled Heart." Minute Men will speak at both services.

Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Substance." There are no Sunday night services. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in church building open each Wednesday and Saturday afternoons and visitors are always welcome to the use of the reading room and to all services.

Catholic.

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First, Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Stevenson Improving.

Mrs. J. Ward Stevenson of Graham, who has been very ill for the past three week is improving.

OLD CLOTHES DRIVE

ONLY SERVICEABLE ARTICLES DESIRED BY THE RED CROSS

PIECE GOODS WANTED

Time Will Not Be Wasted on Articles Useless to Peoples So Stricken by Destitution.

The clothing collection campaign of March 24-31 for the relief of the destitute peoples of those European and Asiatic countries until a few months since occupied by the Germans will be so handled as to avoid the collection and expense of handling articles of clothing that would be useless to people in a destitute condition. Only such articles of clothing as are useful will be accepted.

Every kind of woolen or cloth garment for men, women and children is urgently needed. In addition, piece goods, light, warm canton flannel, and other kinds of cloth from which to make garments for newly-born babies, ticking, sheeting, blankets, and shoes of every size, as well as scraps of leather for repairing footwear, will be gratefully accepted. The clothes will be subjected to the hardest and continued wear, therefore, only garments of strong and durable materials should be given. The clothing and materials need not be in perfect condition, for many thousand women in these countries would be employed in making the clothing adaptable to wear and the needs of the people to whom it will be given. Men's shirts and pajamas, so worn and shrunken as no longer to be serviceable, are particularly welcome, for the material can be used for making garments for children.

Such articles as flimsy dresses, silk, straw and derby hats, hat trimmings, feathers, umbrellas, mattresses, clocks, glassware, carpets, toys, collars, neckties, canes, parasols, pillows, crockery, rugs, etc., will not be accepted. They are of no use to the people in the devastated sections of Europe. They merely consume transportation space and charges, take time to be sorted from useful things and cause a waste of time and money in collection and handling. The problem is of such great magnitude that the time and funds of the Red Cross must be employed in only constructive efforts and will not be wasted on articles useless to peoples so stricken by destitution.

A Notable.

From the Indianapolis News.

One of the collectors of ashes for the city of Indianapolis was at work in an alley one day recently. He was a large negro, and a property owner stood in the back yard marveling at the ease with which the man handled large barrels of ashes.

"You're a fine specimen of manhodd," said the admirer of the collector of ashes. "What's your name?"

"George Washington is my name, sir," replied the negro.

"Let me see," replied the property owner, "it seems to me I've heard that name before somewhere."

"Yes, sir; I guess you have, boss," replied the negro; "I've been collectin' ashes in this neighborhood onto seven years now."

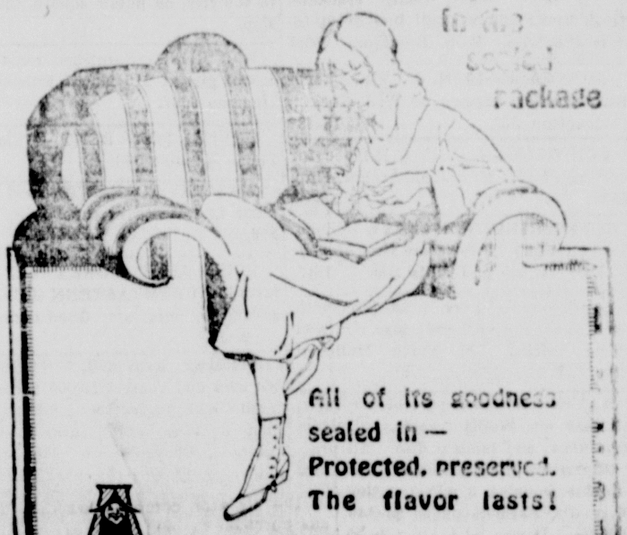
CATARRH

For head or throat Catarrh try the vapor treatment—

VICK'S VAPORUB

"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, $1.20

WRIGLEY'S



All of its goodness sealed in— Protected, preserved. The flavor lasts!

ASK for, and be SURE to get WRIGLEY'S. It's in a sealed package, but look for the name—the Greatest Name in Goody-Land.

UNITED COUPONS

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM MINT LEAF FLAVOR

WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM

Sealed Tight — Kept Right

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW!

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today.

Deposits of one dollar and upward received in our savings department.

Interest Paid Twice a Year

Oldest Bank in the County.

4% INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

A Bank of Savings. Maryville, Missouri.

Commercial Photography

CARPENTER,

The Man of Kodak Fame

CALL 466

At The Bee Hive Shoe Store

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days o. more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 acre tract, 6 room house, all kinds of fruit on place, city water and 2 good wells, plenty of outbuildings, and good barn. Carl Riffle, Han. 420. M3-tf.

FOR SALE—6 young mares, green broke, sell on time with bankable note, also 2x5 galvanized tank, used less than 60 days. Carl Riffle, Hano. 420. M3tf.

NOW READY with a full line of garden seeds, both bulk and package, onion sets, pure Early Ohio seed potatoes. Field seed a specialty. I also handle shorts, oil meal, chicken feed, including Purina Chicken Chowder, oyster shell, sugar, flour, crackers, fresh bread and a small line of up-to-date groceries. R. S. Braniger. 26tf

FOR SALE—10 H. P. Falk kerosene engine, inquire of Will Heekin, Conception Jct. 15-18*

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. R.; 65c for setting of 15. Mrs. J. C. Archer, Han. 3536. 15-18.

MOONSHINE FOR SALE in jugs, per pint $1.25. First come first served. D. E. Vert, 6th and Main Sts. 10tf.

For Sale—Six pure bred Plymouth Rock hens and cockerel; also hen and young chicks. 704 North Mulberry street.

HAVING rented a part of my farm, will sell my Wallis tractor, 3-bottom Case plow, and tandem disc. All practically new, price reasonable. Inquire of Jesse Douglas, 3 miles southwest of Maryville, Farmers phone 23-0-15. M7tf

Wood For Sale—A few cords of wood delivered anywhere in town, at a price to sell quick. Also a few hundred good posts. Good yellow seed corn. Call Hanamo 4x Saunders Bros. 11tf

FOR SALE—Early Ohio Seed potatoes; also ground for rent. 517 North Water St. Mrs. S. C. Alden.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good 40 H. P. Oakland in good condition. Inquire of Carl Burke, Hopkins, Mo. 12-15*

FOR SALE—1918 model Ford Sedan, 1917 Roadster, new Ford truck and 1917 model Ford touring car. Russell Bagby. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Spring wheat for seed. A. C. Nicholas. Hanamo phone 370; Farmers 108 13-15

FOR SALE—Amaza rug cleaner. See Russell Burris or phone Han. 8. 13-15*

A car of Franklin County, Ill., coal on Wabash track on Friday and Saturday. A. S. Robey. 13-15*

For Sale—19 head of fall shots, weight, 100 to 115. Vaccinated double treatment. Jess Dowden, phone 115, route 3. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Barn hay; alfalfa, baled has all the leaves on. A. L. Oakerson, Maryville, Mo., Route 1. 13-15.

For Sale—R. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per 100. Jess Dowden, phone 115, route 3. 13-26*

FOR SALE OR RENT—6 large room house, lights, cement cave, good garden spot, some fruit, and good well. Jas T. Hays, Hanamo 575. m-14-tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs $5.00, baby chicks $17.50 per 100. Ernest Wells, Ravenwood, Mo.

MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted—A lady to come once a week and do family washing. Mrs. Ed Brewer, 315 S Market St. Hanamo 554 11tf

WANTED—Job on farm, married man, Earl Davis, 615 East Thompson St. 15-18*

WANTED—Man with family to work on farm. Call Farmers Phone 27 14-17.

Will exchange 6 room house in St. Joseph for good Maryville property. See or write W. G. Sawyers, Maryville. 13-15*

SHAVE 15c; HAIRCUT 25c; EVERY [illegible] WEEK. R. O. YEAMAN, 209 [illegible] STREET. 13-15*

[illegible] this office.

sne by calling and paying for this adv. 13-15

LOST—Scotch collie dog. Color yellow and white. Has been gone a month. Reward. Paul Sisson. M11tf.

A MODERN BARBER SHOP, sterilized tools, electrical equipment, first class work always. That's a few of the reasons why PARTICULAR PEOPLE patronize Protzman's Place. New location under First Nat'l Bank. 14-17*

WANTED—To engage for two or three months a competent girl to do household work for my daughter living in Omaha. Good wages. U. S. Wright, Hanamo 605. 15-16*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One farm of 260 acres; one farm of 80 acres and one 5-acre tract inside the city limits; possession can be had at once on any of these. See Allen Brothers. 14-17.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 107 North Buchanan St. Mrs. M. E. Farrar. 13-15.

FOR RENT—Two houses, 1 10-room modern house; also 1 8-room house with good well, cistern and basement. D. S. Angell. Hanamo 4564. 13-15.

FOR RENT — Dwelling, 7 large rooms, electric lights, cellar, barn, on paved street, ¼ block—$12.50. East 2nd St. Dwelling—6 rooms, cellar, barn, electric lights. So. Main St.—$12.00. Dwelling—6 rooms, cellar, 1 block public square. Clean and nice—$12.00. Two ground floor offices, best in the city, on public square. Chas. Hyslop. M6-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room for a school girl at 616 North Fillmore. Call Hanamo 6667. tf

HOUSE FOR RENT — Close in. Phone Hanamo 556. 3-11 tf

WANTED TO RENT—Good house, close in. Write in care of P. O. Box 276. M7tf*

YOUR RENT MONEY will buy a farm in NORTHEASTERN COLORADO $16.00 per acre, up. Good terms. Geo. H. Meek. 14-17*

FARMER, RENTER, INVESTOR—We own and control 12,000 acres of as fertile and productive land as in Illinois or Iowa, well located in eastern Colorado, Cheyenne Co., good schools, roads, ready for the plow, and near thriving towns on main line of Union Pacific railroad. Will sell in tracts of 160 acres or more, write us for particulars. G. R. Lemmer & Co., 929 Marquette Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 15

Announcement.

Having decided to resume my practice of dentistry in Maryville, I am located in Dr. Jesse Miller's office, where I will be pleased to meet any of my former patients. Dr. E. C. Braniger. 13-15.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, Mar. 15—March corn $1.44½; May $1.41½; July $1.35¼.

Kansas City, Mar. 15—Cattle—Receipts, 500; no market.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; top, $18.85; bulk, $18.25 @ $18.75.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	30c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c@25c
Young roosters, per lb	18c
Old roosters, per lb	14c
Butter fat, per pound	56c

Why the Hair Stands on End.

From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Did you ever stop to think why the gooseflesh rises on your body and the hair on the cat's or dog's back bristles up when either animal is frightened? Of course, there's a reason. The hair follicle is like a little seed buried in the flesh. Attached to either side of this seed are tiny muscles which run diagonally through the flesh from the lower part of the follicle. These little muscles are like the guy ropes of a tent or the wires sometimes used to keep a telephone pole straight. They are what are called the erector muscles and when fear or cold is experienced these muscles promptly tighten up in such a manner as to "hoist" the hair very quickly, and we describe the result as "gooseflesh" or "the hair standing on end." The erector muscles are larger and stronger in animals than in peoples, and so we frequently see the cat with the bristling tail and back and the dog with a similar exhibition of the erector phenomenon.

A returned soldier says he worked at one time for more than twenty-four hours on nothing but a bowl of soup. That's nothing. We know a man out in our neighborhood who worked nearly a week on nothing but a dog house.

AUTO WAS TOO SLOW

PIONEER FARMER SUPPLANTS CAR WITH 2-SEATED AIRPLANE

ORDERS $5,000 MACHINE

Geo. Kounkel Says Automobiles and Railroads For Transportation Are Getting Old-Fashioned.

Aylesbury, Sask., March 13.—George Kounkel, a pioneer farmer, is the first man in Saskatchewan to buy an airplane. He has just placed an order for a $5,000 two-seated flying machine.

Kounkel came in when the country was wild prairie. When strangers come to town he is frequently pointed out as "there is one of our oldest pioneers." The stranger expects to see a Daniel Boone type of patriarch with long, snowy beard, in coon-skin cap, fringed buckskins and moccasins. Before his startled eyes Kounkel steps from a gleaming limousine, a fashionably tailored, immaculately groomed pioneer wearing kid gloves.

Kounkel broke his first land with an ox team himself. He evolved out of the ox team age into the era of horses. Then he took another step along the road of progress and imported an automobile. His neighbors stared at it as at some weird monster from another world. Now Kounkel cultivates his land with giant tractors, and there is scarcely a farmer in all the country who does not own an automobile. Kounkel owns three.

But if the farmers have changed the country, the co-operative movement has changed the farmers. They are no longer mere tillers of the soil. They market their own grain and livestock, appraise and sell land to settlers, deal in coal, lumber and farm supplies, all on a co-operative basis. They are big business men now, with their fingers on the pulse of foreign markets.

Kounkel, as a business-man-farmer, has to take many long trips—to Regina Saskatoon, Winnipeg. Automobiles and railways used to be all right for that sort of thing, but they are slow and old-fashioned. So in an airplane Kounkel will soon be making his business trip through blue leagues of air to distant cities and back again in time for dinner.

HERE'S REAL MANLESS EDEN

Twenty-one Widows and Six Maidens, and the Only Eligible Man Died With the Influenza.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 13.—A manless Eden in which there are twenty-one widows, six maiden ladies, many girls of marriageable age and the only eligible man dead of influenza is described by Mrs. Alice M. West, seeking a husband, to R. S. (Cupid) Sparks, of the local marriage license bureau. Mrs. West writes that for a woman like herself who had been married for thirty years the place is "quite terrifying."

"I have made of housework a science and art," writes Mrs. West. "I want a husband and a real home where there are flowers, chickens and a cow. I am just past fifty, but still young in appearance. There are twenty-one widows, maiden ladies and many girls of marriageable age in this town. The only eligible man has just died of the 'flu.' If there is a man in Southern California who needs a woman like me to keep his home and share his life let me get in touch with him."

"Cupid" Sparks recent experiences, which have caused him to be swamped with mail entrusted to his care from men answering the appeals of women seeking husbands, have caused him to dodge further responsibility in such matters and he has advised that Mrs. West's mail must be sent in care of the local postoffice. Sparks' has refused to reveal the names of the "lonesomest" town.

Spend Day In St. Joseph.

Miss Lucile Holmes and Miss Mary Sewell went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Many a man is a real hero, yet he gets no Carnegie medal or service stripe. He is the man who supports a wife and six children on $75 a month.

Rags Wanted

We want a quantity of good clean old rags, free from lint and buttons. If you have any for sale, bring them in.

Democrat-Forum

WHY NOT ADOPT PLAN HERE

Kansas City War Memorial Committee to Hold Neighborhood Meetings to Secure Public Expression.

From the Kansas City Times:

More than sixty thousand invitations to be present at the neighborhood meetings of the Committee on Public Opinion of the Liberty Memorial Association, will be distributed immediately by the students of the ward and high schools.

That was determined yesterday at the meeting of the committee.

The purpose of these meetings is to give a greater opportunity for the people of Kansas City to definitely express themselves relative to the general type and location of the memorial. It was the opinion that more interest in the project would be stimulated in the city if the meetings were carried directly to the people, instead of relying upon their attendance at the regular weekly gatherings of the memorial association.

Mr. Beardsley reported that since the last meeting of the committee he had met with the superintendent of schools and the principals of all the high schools and arrangements had been made for special numbers at each meeting by the high school orchestras and glee clubs. Stereoptican machines and operators at each school will show slides of the world's great memorials that have been seen by the members of the joint committees.

Bishop Thomas F. Lillis agreed to make arrangements for the distribution of the cards of invitation through the parochial schools.

The committee at the meeting tonight will recommend that all the memorial suggestions be classified under six definite heads. At the meeting a week from today it is the intention to have the definite type presented by six champions. That will give a review of the suggestions with a capable presentation of each type before the final vote is taken.

USE PLANES IN OIL FIELD.

Wichita, Kan., March 13.—Flying to the Texas oil fields with passengers is the latest "stunt," according to Elmer Corn, formerly of this city, who is now a broker in Fort Worth. Writing to a friend here he said:

"Some ex-soldiers are putting a proposition over for $150,000 and have five machines and fly with passengers from Fort Worth to the Ranger and Burkburnette fields. This is the first time air service has been used to carry passengers."

SLOW UP CUPID'S WORK.

Jefferson City, March 13.—Cupid will no longer be able to pierce the hearts of a man and woman and have them wedded in a few minutes after their meeting, if a bill introduced in the legislature here is passed. It will require more time and money for Cupid to turn the trick.

The bill provides that the names of each couple seeking a license must be advertised for five days by the Recorder of Deeds before it can be issued.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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NOTICE.

Members of Cyrene Lodge No. 58, A. F. & A. M. are requested to meet at the hall Monday afternoon March 17, at 1 o'clock sharp to attend services in a body of Brother Rufus Palmer.

By order of Secretary,
THOS JACKSON.
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HE, 90, AND SHE, 85, DANCE.

St. Louis, March 13.—Modern dancing was the chief delight of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kessler, aged ninety and eighty-five years respectively, when they celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary here recently. Their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present.

(First Insertion March 15, last insertion March 30.)

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 1st, 1919, at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, held for City election, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Maryville School District, being District number 97, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the Board of Directors.

That there will also be submitted a proposition to levy a tax of two and one-half mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district for the purpose of creating a buildig fund with which to erect and furnish a new school building for the colored children of this school district.

Also the election of two directors for the next ensuing term of three years each.

Done by order of the Board of Directors this 13th day of March, A. D., 1919.

J. R. Brink, President.
George Pat Wright, Secretary.

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KANSAS TOWN TO HONOR HEROES

Independence Will Give Medals to All Returned Fighting Men.

Independence, Kan., March 13.—The City Commissioners of Independence have selected a medal to be presented to every soldier receiving mail at the post-office at the time they responded to their country's call The medal, made of bronze, consists of a bar pin, on which will be engraved the name, with a pendant suspended. The pendant, in the shape of a cross, with a spread eagle in relief on the face, will have engraved on the back:

"Presented by the people of the city of Independence, Kan., in grateful recognition of patriotic services in the world war."

PRETTY GIRL WAS HUN AGENT

Miss Guadalupe Ledesma, 16, Used Disguises to Get Across Rio Grande with Propaganda.

Laredo, Texas, March 13.—Among the numerous cases which will come up for disposition by the April term of the United States Court for the Southern District of Texas in this city will be one of particular inter-national interest, that being the case of Miss Guadalupe Ledesma, a beautiful Mexican girl aged about sixteen years, who was in the employ of the German propagandists between Laredo, Texas, and Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

Miss Ledesma was arrested by Department of Justice officials here just before signing of the armistice. At a preliminary hearing held a few days later the girl pleaded not guilty, but when incriminating evidence taken from her when she was arrested was produced and she was quizzed she refused to talk.

It was proven by evidence adduced at the preliminary hearing that Miss Ledesma had been in the employ of the German agents in Nuevo Laredo as messenger to carry information from the American to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande since early in August, 1918, and that she had acted in a very clever and cunning manner to accomplish her objects, sometimes borrowing passports of others and disguising herself or coming to the American side and remaining several days, or as long as was necessary to get the information that she desired.

After hearing the evidence adduced at the trial United States Commissioner Foster bound Miss Ledesma over to the Federal Grand Jury in the sum of $1,000, which was later furnished by Melquiades Garcia, the Mexican Consul in Laredo, whereupon she was released.

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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State Historical Society COLUMBIA

NAME NORMAL MAN

PROF. FOSTER ON FACULTY OF ARMY UNIVERSITY IN FRANCE

IN HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Largest University in English Speaking World with 15,000 Soldiers Enrolled—Located at Beaune

Prof. H. A. Foster, head of the department of European History and Government at the Normal school and who is now on leave in France in government work, has been chosen as part of the faculty of history in the American Army University at Beaune, France. Word of Prof. Foster's appointment came in a letter from Mrs. Foster, who is now at Huntsville, Ala., to friends here.

The American Army University is the largest university in the English speaking world with 15,000 soldiers enrolled for a three months course. The faculty of 500 members has been chiefly drawn from the American Expeditionary Forces, and is headed by Col. Ira B. Reeves, formerly president of Norwich University in Vermont.

The buildings now serving as study halls and dormitories were used during the war as an American hospital. A farm of 600 acres is used as the main agricultural college, while former workshops of the hospital supply quarters are being utilized by classes in engineering.

The American Army University is one of the four features of the educational system introduced for the benefit of the expeditionary force.

When qualified officers and soldiers are put on "detached leave" to carry on graduate work at British and French universities an American military officer is in command of such a detachment and a representative of the army educational commission, Young Men's Christian Association, acts as a sort of American dean. Former President McLean of the state university of Iowa represents the commission in England, where 2,000 American expeditionary force students are in attendance at universities.

Approximately 250 American educators who have been sent overseas in the last few months and with about 200 educational secretaries previously sent by the Young Men's Christian Association, they make up the administrative staff. Most of the teachers, however, are taken from the army.

DEATH OF RUFUS PALMER

Well Known Colored Man Dies at the Home of His Sister.

Rufus C. Palmer, colored, died last night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Smart on West Fifth street. He was thirty-four years old. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 3:30 from the Mt. Zion Baptist church under the auspices of Cyrene Lodge No. 58 A. F. and A. M.

The New Victory Stamp.

The new Victory postage stamp, which will soon be issued to commemorate the successful conclusion of the war, will be wider and shorter than the ordinary stamp. It bears the figure of victorious Liberty, helmeted and with a sword in one hand and scales in the other. The design appears upon a shaded panel, with American, British, French, Belgian and Italian flags draped for the background. In size it compares with other special stamps.

To Attend Trullinger Funeral.

Henry, Joel and T. M. Trullinger and their father B. W. Trullinger went to Farragut, Iowa, this morning where they will attend the funeral of Mrs. B. W. Trullinger, wife of their brother, whose death occurred there last Tuesday.

RAINS CAUSE MUCH DAMAGE.

Miami, Fla., March 15.—Damage estimated at between 3 and 4 million dollars, was caused by rains over Southern Florida yesterday.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

YOUNG MAN HURT IN STORM

Karl Zimmerman, Driving to Town, Nearly Blown From Bridge at Normal Grounds Entrance.

Karl Zimmerman, living northwest of the city was seriously hurt during the heavy storm that took place shortly afternoon today when he was blown from his buggy while crossing the bridge at the Normal being on his way to the city from his home in the country. The buggy was blown against the bridge rails and the harness broken. Karl sustained a broken shoulder blade in trying to extricate himself from the vehicle which came near being blown from the bridge. He managed to get home with the horse and part of the harness, but the buggy was scattered over the Normal campus. He was given surgical attention soon after reaching the home of his parents.

NORMAL DAMAGED

THE LOSS IN THIS AFTERNOON'S STORM ESTIMATED AT $50,000.

AUDITORIUM BLOWN IN

Skylights and Roof Are Wrecked, Windows Smashed, Labratory Is Nearly Ruined—Rain Adds To Loss.

Damage amounting to $50,000 was done to the State Normal by a near-twister which visited Maryville and vicinity this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Much damage was also done in the northwest section of the city, the home of Henry Farrar being unroofed and the building badly twisted. Trees and outbuildings were blown down throughout a wide path. The heavy wind which acme from the southwest was accompanied by a driving sheet of rain that fell in sheets. The rain was general all over the city, but the wind appeared to take a definite path with the Normal building being the hardest hit.

At the Normal the entire west side of the auditorium was blown in, while at the entrance of the room two door casings and doors fell out. President's Richardson's office and the second floor were littered with slate from the roof of the building and windows were blown out on the west side. The Normal campus was littered with slate and glass, much of it being driven deep into the ground from the force of the wind. Much glass was broken in the greenhouse and part of the roof of the power house was blown off. One large cupola on the auditorium was blown from its base and fell on the ground between the north and east wing. Seventy-two big windows were counted blown out.

President Richardson and three young women students were in the building at the time, but none were injured. Men from the heating plant took refuge in the heating tunnel. The skylight on the fourth floor over the art room was completely wrecked while in the labratory bottles were blown from the shelves, a big glass case was broken to pieces. President Richardson estimated the damage this afternoon at between $40,000 and $50,000.

The home of Henry Farrar in the northwest part of town was the only residence reported damaged. The top of the smoke stack at the light company's plant was partly blown off and there was much damage to telephone and telegraph lines. The Farmers phone lines are reported down throughout the section northwest of the city.

No damage has been reported from any of the neighboring towns.

Asks Divorce From Wife.

Ezra Wilson filed suit for divorce from his wife, Minnie B. Wilson, in circuit court today, charging her with receiving attentions from other men. They were married in August, 1900.

WIN THE FINAL GAME

M. H. S. ON LONG END OF SCORE WITH MOUND CITY LAST NIGHT

LOCALS IN GOOD FORM

DeArmond, French and Kirby Made Fine Showing Shooting Goals Score Was 31-13.

Maryville High School closed its 1919 basket ball season last night with a victory over Mound City High School 31-13. The season's record is three games won and seven lost, two contests having been lost to St. Joseph Benton, and Hopkins, and one won and one lost with King City, Chillicothe and Mound City.

The game last night was a return engagement and was sweet revenge for the first game which was won by Mound City. The local team was easily the superior of the visitors last night, and while the game was hard fought the red and white had little difficulty in winning by a good margin.

The first half ended 12-10 in favor of Maryville, and was by far the most interesting part of the game. The second half was a runaway for the home team, the visitors being unable to score a field goal. This half was 19-3.

Fast playing by both teams was marred by poor passing. The Maryville team showed some exceptionally brilliant flashes at times.

Captain DeArmond was shooting baskets in good form, garnering seven from the field and two from the foul line. French played a star floor game and shot two field goals, and Kirby hooked four from the field besides attending well to his guarding duties. John Price, who has been out all season with an injured knee, broke into the game last night. The line-up:

Maryville H. S.—DeArmond and Cook, forwards; French, center; Kirby, Price and Campbell, guards.

Mound City H. S.—Jackson and Houston, forwards; Dearmont, center; Wilson and Carmihcael, guards; Hays and Childers, substitutes.

Scoring— Field goals: DeArmond, 7; Kirby, 4; French 2, Cook, 1; Jackson, 3; Wilson, 1. Foul goals: DeArmond, 2; Cook, 1; Houston, 5. Referee: Ham, Maryville Normal.

HOPKINS FIRM ENTERTAINS

Sayler Hardware Gives Banquet for Visiting Salesmen—An Annual Event.

The Sayler Hardware Company of Hopkins entertained with a banquet last night for the traveling salesmen who visit the store. Music in the form of a concert program was furnished by Schumacher's orchestra of Maryville, composed of Mrs. Vera Sayler Pickett, Frank Schumacher and Ralph Yehle. The banquet is an annual event with the Sayler company and is in the nature of a spring opening.

ASK YEAR'S PAY FOR SOLDIERS.

Washington, March 15.—A bill providing that all American soldiers and sailors and marines who served in the late war receive one year's additional pay from the time of their discharges from active service, will be presented to the next congress by Representative Baer, independent republican of North Dakota, he stated today.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

SENATORIAL PRIMARY ONLY

Predicted This Will Be All That Will Be Left of Bill When Legislature Gets Through With It.

Jefferson City, March 15.—A senatorial primary, held for the exclusive purpose of nominating candidates for the United States senate, may be all that's left of the primary law in Missouri when the legislature gets through with it.

Senate Bill No. 249, which the upper branch has just passed for engrossment, leaves it optional with the committees of political parties as to whether they shall nominate their candidates by convention or by promary. It is amendatory of the general primary law. But it does not in any way affect the special statute which provides that candidates for the United States senate shall be nominated by primary. To amend that statute, and place senatorial candidates in the same classification as other candidates, another bill would have to be introduced, and today is the last day for introducing bills.

Should No. 249 become a law the committees could provide for nominating all state, district and county officers in conventions. But the committees would have no power with reference to senatorial candidates, who would have to be nominated by primary.

BIG CROP PROSPECT

WHEAT AND FRUIT LOOK BETTER THAN IN MANY YEARS

LAND VALUES JUMPING

Sales Are Active and Transfers Are Numerous—Labor Situation Rapidly Reaching Normal.

Missouri crop prospects for 1919 are very bright, with soil conditions almost perfect; condition of the 4,243,000 acres of growing wheat about the best ever, fruit prospects not damaged by winter except north of river, land values advancing all along the line, and the farm labor supply gradually increasing, is the good news of the grand old "Show You State," in the March crop report by E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes, of the federal and state departments of agriculture.

The stock ofc orn in the hands of Missouri farmers is but 36,142,200 bushels, against 101,430,000 last March. The ten-year average is 33 per cent, with 42 per cent last year and 27 per cent this year. The 1918 corn crop shipped out of the county in which produced was only 5 per cent, against 28 per cent for the 1917 crop and 10 per cent for the usual year. The merchantable part of the crop was 73 per cent, with 75 per cent in 1917, and 38 per cent average.

The wheat still on farms is 11 per cent of the 1918 crop, or 5,846,940 bushels, against 4,056,000 in the bins last March. The average amount of crop on hand in March is 17 per cent. Sixty per cent of the 1918 crop was shipped out of the county, while the ten-year average is 48 per cent.

The oats supply on farms is but 36 per cent of the 1918 crop of 15,910,560 bushels, against 39 per cent last year. Shipped out of the county is 20 per cent, against 39 per cent last year, and 15 per cent average. The barley on hand is 20 per cent of the 1918 crop, or 50,000 bushels, 15 per cent shipped

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ENDORSED LEAGUE

DEMOCHATS ON RECORD FOR PRESIDENT'S PLAN.

CONDEMN REED'S STAND

Resolutions Adopted Urges Senator To Abandon His Fight—Township Ticket Is Named by Convention

For Assessor, Robert Aley.
For Collector, Andy Pride.

The democrats of Polk township went on record in their convention at the court house this afternoon in favor of the League of Nations as opposing the stand taken by Senator James A. Reed in opposing the plan. They also declared in favor of a suitable memorial for the soldiers and sailors of the county and endorsed the administration of governmental affairs. The resolutions reported by the committee composed of L. C. Cook, Judge John M. Dawson and J. J. Heifner was adopted unanimously amid much enthusiasm and it was voted to send a copy by wire to Senator Reed, also to the St. Joseph News-Press, the Kansas City Post and the St. Louis Republic.

The convention endorsed the present township board and nominated Richard Snyder for constable.

In th nomination for assessor there were two candidates Barnard Dougan and Robert Aley. Aley got the nomination by a vote of 88 to 66.

In the contest for collector three candidates were named; Frank Shoemaker was nominated by Geo. Pat Wright, S. B. Williams was named by Ed Hamlin and Andy Pride by Jake Chesnut.

On first ballot Williams was low man with 15 votes. Andy pride had 83 and Frank Shoemaker 82. On final ballot Pride counted up 86 to Shoemaker's 80.

RESOLUTIONS.

Be it resolved by the Democrats of Polk Township in mass convention assembled:

1st—We join the people of the land in doing honor to our gallant soldiers boys who have made such heroic sacrifice in the war just closed. They have earned the gratitude of mankind; and the best the nation has is justly theirs. We indorse the proposed movement to discharge them with six months pay; and for our Nodaway county boys, we favor the erection of a suitable memorial, as will, in coming years, do honor to them, and ever remind us and other generations, of thir splendid achievements in the cause of human liberty.

2nd—We indorse the administration of governmental affairs by our great president, Woodrow Wilson, to whom, the eyes of the world are now turned, as the commanding statesman of the age. We believe in Peace and not in War, and for this reason, we approve and indorse the proposed league of nations now being formulated at the peace conference. It has for its purpose, the peaceful settlement of international disputes by an international court, rather than by the names of war. We favor this, and pledge to it our united patriotic support.

3rd—We deplore and condemn the action of senator James A. Reed, in his fight against the league of nations. We believe that the sentiment of his constituents is overwhelmingly with the president in this struggle; hence we urge upon Senator Reed, that he abandon his fight, and truly represent the thought of those who have so often honored him.

Respectfully submitted—The Committee.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Showers tonight and Sunday; continued mild temperature followed by cooler Sunday.

IT WAS JUST LIK LOUVAIN

Berlin, Following the Fighting Between the Reds and Government Troops, Was pillaged Stores Looted.

Washington, March 15.—(via London, March 15).—To save time government troops employed machine guns in the execution of captured Spartacides. Many were lined up in the courtyard of the battle scarred police prefecture and were shot down by machine gunners. "It is just like Louvain," said a German army officer today as he surveyed the quarter of the city that had been wrecked in the recent fighting. Louvain was destroyed by the Germans when they invaded Belgium and marked one of the bloodiest scenes of the invasion when the town was systematically pillaged and burned. The worst damage was done in the district bordering Alexander Platz. Considerable looting was done throughout this section. One Spartacist prisoner carried diamonds worth 80 thousand marks and another had a fabulous bank roll of notes stolen from the Reizss bank.

THE G. O. P. TICKET

WILES GETS NOMINATION FOR TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR

DEARDORFF, ASSESSOR

Convention at Court House Was Devoid of Any Particular Interest with Enthusiasm Small.

The republicans of Polk township in convention this afternoon nominated the following ticket:

For Assessor: John Deardorff.
For Collector: Hershel E. Wiles.
For Constable: Richard Snyder.
For Justices of the Peace: Chas. Hyslop, R. L. McDougal, W. W. Glass, C. D. McKibben and J. C. S. Stillwell.

McKibben and Stillwell declined the nomination.)

The republican township convention met this afternoon in the circuit court room with some two hundred on hand to nominate a township ticket. The convention was presided over by J. F. Hull, chairman with H. L. Raines secretary, the temporary organization being made permanent.

In nominations for township trustee it was decided to endorse the present township board for re-election, the provision being that in the event the democrats failed to do likewise, the committee should make a choice to fill the vacancy.

For assessor there were three candidates, Herman W. Hull, nominated by Frank Goodspeed, Alfred Green nominated by John Grems and John Deardorff, nominated by A. L. Sopers. Green was low man on the first ballot and according to the rules was dropped out. The second ballot gave Deardorff 152 and Hall 93. 121 being necessary to a choice. Hull moved to make nomination of his opponnt unanimous which was done.

In the contest for collector four candidates appeared: Herschel W. Wiles, nominated by W. W. Tilson, Louis White nominated by J. C. Taylor, E. W. Barrack, nominated by J. A. Wray and Howard Strong nominated by E. Busby. On the first ballot Strong was low man and dropped out. The second ballot gave Wiles 141, White 93 and Barrock 36, 133 being necessary to a choice.

E. E. Williams, W. W. Tilson and Ed Tebow were nominated on rules and order of business.

LIVES IN ONE HOME 80 YEARS.

Anniston, Ala., March 13.—R. M. Cheatwood, who recently celebrated his eighty-first birthday, has lived on the same farm for eighty years and has lived in three counties without changing residence. He was born in Benton County, lived in Calhoun County when it was created, and by a change in county lines afterward, in the same home, lived in Cleburne County.

REACH AGREEMENT

PEACE COUNCIL DECIDED ON REPARATION HUNS MUST MAKE

BIG PROBLEM TO COME

American Delegates, Wilson Says, Have Never Considered Separating League Plan From Treaty.

Paris, March 15.—An official agreement has been reached on the question of the reparation Germany will have to make, it was learned this afternoon. No statement is available, however at this time. A careful canvass of the British and French delegates reveals that the big outstanding problems yet to be decided are the boundaries of Germany and the disposition to be made of the ex-kaiser, von Tirpitz and others.

Paris, March 15.—President Wilson conferred today with various leaders of delegations of the Big Five powers. Programs for future action were outlined for the President's benefit. There are reports that some of the agreements with various commissions are not entirely acceptible to Mr. Wilson. The next few days will be filled chiefly by the President getting results along the line of his publicity of proclaimed principles.

President Wilson will issue an official statement late today denying that American delegates ever considered separating th league of nations plan from the peace treaty.

The American delegates hold that the league of nations matter has been entirely settled and that, therefore, it will be the first feature incorporated in any peace treaty, preliminary or otherwise, inasmuch as it has already been approved. At the session of the supreme war council this afternoon president Wilson was given all information concerning the work accomplished by the council in his absence.

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MARCH 17

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New Songs, New Music, Pretty Girls.

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Mrs. F. P. Robinson
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Miss Mary Carpenter.

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A comedy sketch guaranteed full of laughs.—Mr. and Mrs. Verne Alderman.

"Unveiling a Statue"

Something new in Spectacular effects.—Home Guards—Boy Scouts—The Chorus.

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

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Baby Gloria Joy in "I Want to be a Baby."

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Also one reel of tanks doing actual war

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FINDS WIFE WED TO AROTHER

Private Wm. Jones, Reported Dead, Returns to Find His Spouse Happily Married Again.

Camp Lee, Virginia, March 13—William Jones, of Norristown, back from France with three gold service stripes, wrote to his wife from here that he would soon be discharged. His wife replied that she rad received a report that he was dead and had married again. This is the letter received by Jones:

"I received your letter stating that you had arrived in the United States. Well, I am writing to you to inform you that I, your wife, do not want anything more to do with you and for you not to bother me. If you do there will be trouble. I received a telegram from Washington that you had been killed in action and now I have another man and a baby. I am sending you the telgram that I received from the Red Cross. I want you to give me my divorce within six months, and if you don't there will be something else done."

DRAINAGE DISTRICT ELECTION.

To all the owners of land and other property in the One Hunderd and Two Drainage District, in Nodaway County, Missouri:

You and each of you are hereby notified that there will be held on Saturday, Arpil 15th, 1919, beginning at 2:30 p. m., a meeting of the owners of all land and other property in said Drainage District for the purpose of electing two supervisors for said district, one for five years to succeed F. B. Goodspeed, and one for two years to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of H. H. McClurg, and for the transaction of such other business as may come beofre said meeting. Said meeting to be held at Lumber Yard of Pickering Lumber Company, in Pickering, Nodaway County, Missouri.

Done by order of the Board of Supervisors, this 8th day of February, 1919.

W. E. Hinton, Secretary.

Less than $2 worth of seeds are required to plant a small back yard or vacant lot garden. Several of the seed houses are offering special collections of seeds that are adapted for planting in their trade territory.

Icelanders make bread from ground cod fish flour.

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to filter the acids and poisons out of your system unless they are given a little help Don't allow them to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature.

As soon as you commence to have backaches, feel nervous and tired, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly.

Do not delay a minute. Go after the cause of your ailments or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney troubles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will do the work. They are the pure original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Ask your druggist for GOLD MEDAL and accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. Three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not quickly help you.

NEWS FROM NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

George P. Shoptaugh, the Clearmont banker, came home Monday morning from his trip to Florida, and elsewhere. He went away Jan. 12, and returned March 10, nearly two months. He looked well and says he is feeling fine.

Bolten Neff and John Baker of Clearmont, have traded farms, Neff getting the 110 acre farm of Baker's laying in the bottom, and Baker getting the 25 acre farm of Neff's on the hill. Trade made this week, and possession to be given March 25.

Rev. Ernest Snider, the wideawake, broad and progressive pastor of the Burlington Junction Methodist Episcopal church, is always on the lookout for spiritual treats for his congregation. Bishop William A. Quayle of St. Louis, will be in that city Sunday, March 23, and will preach at the morning service of the loacl church. Bishop Quayle is a leader in church activities and it is claimed for him that his religious views are not confined to denominational lines, being liberal in his treatment of religious subjects, and the citizens of Burlington Junction, regardless of church affiliation, will undoubtedly welcome the opportunity to hear so distinguished a person.

The women of the Ohio Centenary association will serve the annual dinner in the basement of the Christian church of Burlington Junction Saturday, March 29, 1919. No soliciting will be done and everybody is requested to contribute liberally and make this event a success. The dinners and suppers served by the ladies have become known far and wide for their excellent menus and this year will be no exception.

The elevator company at Barnard which recently purhcased the elevator from John A. Fields will meet to organize Wednesday, March 19, in Barnard at 1:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to elect directors for the company and to plan for the business they expect to do. Homer Brown, secretary to the Progressive Farmers Club asks that every man who has already subscribed stock for the enterprise, and every farmer interested in any way in the elevator company whether he has purchased stock or not or expects to or not, to be present at the meeting next Wednesday. According to Brown, there will be men in Barnard on Saturday to explain the proposition to the farmers and to interest them, if possible, in the enterprise. We understand that the company will incorporate.

Another of the Monroe township boys who was called upon to go to France to do his bit in making the world safe for democracy, has returned home. Leland Linville, one who served in the 3rd division, received his discharge from the service March 11, at Camp Dodge, after having been there only a few days after his return from France. Leland is eleven pounds heavier than he was when he entered the service, and is feeling fine with the exception of sore feet. They are gradually getting better and in time Leland will be as good as new. In all his travels, Leland has seen lots of country but no place looks so good to him as this.

J. U. Marshall, a brother-in-law of the Rev. M. DeWitt of Skidmore, came from Glenwood, Iowa, one day last week and rented the G. R. Davis property, just south of Mr. Davis' residence and has taken possession and will make Skidmore his home. His daughter Mrs. Myrtle Northup, also of Glenwood, will live with her father. She and her children arrived Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bosley of Skidmore, moved their household goods Monday of last week to the farm which they recently purchased of Will Freeze. They expect to start soon, to visit an aunt and uncle of Mr. Bosley's at Lockport, Illinois, and from there to the Pacific coast.

Ruel Kinman of Clearmont, received word last Friday that his son-in-law, Jesse Smith, age 33 years and his little grandson, Glenn Smith, age 7 years, died at their home in Ziemning, Ill., Saturday, March 1st and Sunday, March 1st and Sunday, March 2nd, of pneumonia following the flu. This was a surprise, as Mr. and Mrs. Smith were here ten days, leaving for their home Jan. 25. Mr. Smith leaves to mourn his loss his wife, one daughter, Audrey, 3 sons, Dale, Erville and Ernest, father and mother and one brother.

Ed Horn, who has been head mechanic at the Mutti & Brown garage in Hopkins, for several years, resigned the position the first of March and has moved to Clearmont. He is a first-class mechanic and will be missed by many auto owners in this vicinity. Grover Thompson has been added to the force at the Mutti & Brown garage since Mr. Horn left. Mr. Horn has a position with a hardware firm in Clearmont.

Mrs. Wm. Nicholas of Hopkins, has just received the announcement of the marriage of her son, Glen (Toad) Clark to a Miss Mary McShea, the wedding taking place Dec. 15 at the home of the bride's parents in Liverpool, England. Glen is now a corporal with a motor supply company and has made a splendid record as a soldier, but still likes to play jokes. On the 4th of last July he visited London with ten big American trucks so he posted all the drivers to cause their engines to back fire as soon as a certain part of London was reached. The hour was early and when the big engines began to roar and back fire, the word went throughout the city that an air raid was on and the Lord Mayor at once sent out men to investigate. It looked for awhile as if the motor men were going to get into trouble but Corporal Clark squared things by explaining the engines were cold, this fact causing them to backfire and although it was hot enough to roast eggs, the Englishmen accepted the explanation and the young Americans went on celebrating for quite awhile.

Glen and his bride will sail for America as soon as he is relieved from service.

Ed Northover, the prominent farmer and stockman living a mile south of Hopkins, who is making quite a record in the feeding game, advances a new idea, at least it is to us. The question of pasture is a bugaboo to the average man who handles cattle, it being next to impossible to secure grass land and when you do, the price asked for it is almost prohibitive if the renter expects to get out alive on it. Ed says the silo is the only salvation of the man who wishes to profitably continue in the cattle business, and one silo is not enough on the average farm, two big ones on a 200-acre farm being none too many, for his idea is to feed silage in the summer as well as during the winter months, making the ensilage take the place of grass, it being so much cheaper than the grass when the high price of pasture land is taken into consideration. Of course he wants some grass but by feeding ensilage, he believes one acre will go farther than three or four acres without the ensilage. Anyway, it is something that farmers can think about, and one thing is certain—silo agents will be of one accord in saying Ed's head is level.

A FREAK BULLET WOUND

Soldier Shot in Left Leg, the Missile Was Found in His Right.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 13.—How the X-ray vindicated itself in France is told by Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas S. Arbuthnot, formerly of a base hospital unit.

A soldier was wheeled into the operating room. Plainly there was a ragged wound on the left leg showing where the bullet had entered. But directly opposite the wound, on the right leg, the skin of which was unbroken, the X-ray machine pointed out the location of the bullet.

The bullet struck the shoulder just below the left knee, went up the leg, caromed off the pelvis and then, came down the right leg without showing another mark. The surgeons probed and found the bullet.

WHEAT FOR MACARONI.

From the Ohio State Journal.

Wheat for macaroni making is of a special quality of hard garin, rich in gluten. Most of it is imported into Italy in normal times, largely from Rumania, atlhough North America furnishes a considerable part. California wheat is preferred to all other varities as being of the best quality, hard, large and very clean.

Of the 32,278 students enrolled in the public schools of the territory of Hawaii 13,380 are Japanese.

Influenza and kindred diseases start with a cold.

Don't trifle with it. At the first shiver or sneeze, take

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

WHY ADVERTISE?

A FEW REALIZE ITS VALUE AND OTHERS DO NOT.

FARMERS POINT THE WAY

Value of Farm Sales Publicity a Guide for Merchants, Indicated by Nearly Every Paper in This Section.

The following from the Atchison County Mail should be of interest to business men in all lines:

Rather strange, isn't it, that the farmer of this section should be the man to point the way for the merchant in proving the value of newspaper advertising? But it appears to be the case.

Any subscriber to The Mail knows for himself that during the recent winter months this paper has carried an unusually large amount of public sale advertising. Does anyone for a moment suppose that farmers who placed these ads did so through any philanthropic feeling for the publisher of this paper? We believe not.

The farmer who determines to hold a public sale of live stock, implements and other impediments of the farm realizes before he has listed the stuff he will offer for sale that the one really effective medium through which to reach bidders and buyers is in the columns of some publication of good circulation. And he promptly places an order for sale bills and space in the paper of his choice.

A few years ago, experience has shown us, the farmer seemed to feel that he wanted a large number of bills and only a fair-sized ad in the paper. Today many of them do not care at all for the bills but ask that the ad in the paper be of liberal space and see that it is also placed in other papers in contiguous territory, thus gaining a still wider circulation of the fact that a public sale is to be held on a certain date.

Last week's Western Enterprise analyzed the advertising in the previous issue of The Mail in a thorough manner, and since it was done by a newspaper outside of Rock Port its value as a matter of comparison between the farmer's appreciation of newspaper space and the attention given it by merchants is interesting. The Enterprise had this to say:

"Last week's Atchison County Mail carried nearly 850 inshes of display advertising, the bulk of it being by farmers advertising public sales. The advertising by the merchants of the town was very light. It would seem that the merchants of Rock Port might take a valuable tip from their farmer friends, for they have shown the merchants that they know the value of printer's ink. The Fairfax Forum of last week carried nearly 750 inches of display advertising and about two-thirds of that was advertising public sales. However, in that case we are inclined to the belief that the farmers got their inspiration from the merchants, for the Fairfax merchants are good advertisers. If The Enterprise could get a few weeks' run of such advertising as was carried in The Mail and Forum last week we would be putting in a new power press. We can't hope for any such, however, for farmers around Westboro are too well satisfied to want to sell out and go away. Considering the size of the town—two general stores and a bank—The Enterprise is well patronized in an advertising way. Our two general stores are the best advertisers in the county and it pays them, too. They have customers every week coming right out of adjoining towns and they are satisfied customers, too, for our merchants always measure up to their advertisements."

Continuing, The Enterprise remarked about the various enterprises in Westboro and commented by saying that most of them didn't seem to realixe that Westboro had a newspaper.

This is especially true in Rock Port. Had The Mail two or three as consistent advertisers as The Enterprise and the Fairfax Forum we would feel satisfied at the patronage, since with some firms year-around advertising may not be especially profitable. With a general store, furnishings establishments, groceries and the like, however, an ad in the newspaper EVERY WEEK gets results that prove the value of printer's ink. These ads need not be of full page size; a 20-inch or 30-inch ad will serve the weekly purpose of a large store, excepting when some special occasion arises or a new season begins.

Last week's Hamburg Reporter bears out what we have said above, in the following item:

"Recently a farmer came into the Reporter office to have an advertisement placed for a farm sale which he was going to hold. We asked him how many bills he would want, to which he replied that a very few would serve his purpose. He then went on to say that he would not give the advertisement in the paper for all the bills we could print in a week. This was something we wanted to hear more about, so we led him on.

"This farmer contends that the advertising columns of the paper are just as important, if not more so, than the news, and usually the first to get attention at his home. Mr. Farmer goes on to say that he believes no up-to-the-minute merchant can do the business he should without the aid of the advertising columns of the newspaper. Merchants should not be ashamed of their goods, and if they will only tell the people what they have, and then back it up, they are sure to succeed and increase the volume of business."

Reading the two comments above, taken from papers in different towns, it would seem the farmer has greater foresight in placing ads in the papers than does the merchant who depends every day in the week and every week in the year on getting customers into his store, but falls flat on getting these customers because of his short-sightedness in failing to advertise.

Some of the most hidebound ones fall back on the old chestnut "Everybody knows where my store is." Sure they do—unless they are newcomers in the territory—but who knows when most merchants receive new items of stock or late arrivals of new fads unless newspaper space is used to tell it?

W. A. Spanger who recently underwent a serious operation at Ensworth hospital at St. Joseph is reported to be getting along nicely and his complete recovery is shortly expected.

It is surprising how many early plants can be started in a window box.

Are your garden tools ready? It will not be long now until they will be needed.

Garden Dirt is the best Pay Dirt.

Don't be a quitter, but plant a garden again this year.

Why not shade your back porch with a screen of Lima Beans? The crop may surprise you.

If you think the home garden doesn't pay, just try going to market with less than $5 in your pocket.

What's become of the old-time gardener who planted his potatoes in the Moon? Plant yours in the Earth.

There are plenty of garden seeds, but the supply of extra good ones is always small. Order early and get the best.

Every member of the family will require nearly eleven hundred meals this year. How many of these are coming from the home garden?

The bean family is an old friend of man. The ancient Roman family name Fabius is derived from a word meaning bean. Adopt a Fabian policy and plant beans. No other vegetable is more sure to give returns.

Two cabbage heads are better than one, and twenty are better still. A warm, rich soil is needed for early cabbages. They mature in time to leave the ground free for warm-weather crops like beans, tomatoes, and so on.

Agriculture has made great advances in modern times, but the advice of Pliny the Elder who lived nearly twenty centuries ago is still good for gardeners: "Dig deep, manure well, work often."

DESPONDENT WOMEN.

A prominent writer claims that "women are naturally despondent," but often mental depression may be attributed to the adnormal condition of the system, which expresses itself in nervousness, backache, headaches, sleeplessness, and consequent despondency. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound goes to the root of this trouble, it gives tone and strength to the system and restores women to a normal, healthy condition.—Adv.

Chickens will not give adequate returns in eggs or growth when kept under insanitry conditions.

Do't brag about your garden, but dig and keep right on digging.

All Choked Up With Catarrh? Why Continue Makeshift Treatment?

Sprays and douches will never cure you.

Catarrh is annoying enough when it chokes up your nostrils and air passages, causing painful and difficult breathing and other discomforts. But the real danger comes when it reaches down into your lungs.

This is why you should at once realize the importance of the proper treatment, and lose no time experimenting with worthless remedies which touch only the surface. To be rid of Catarrh, you must drive the disease germs out of your blood.

Splendid results have been reported from the use of S. S. S., which completely routs from your blood the Catarrh germs, for which it is a perfect antidote.

S. S. S. is sold by all druggists. If you wish medical advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. B, Atlanta, Ga.

Tire Bargains

32x3½	Portage Smooth Tread Casing	$17.00
32x4	Portage Smooth Tread Casing	$23.00
32x3½	Portage Non-skid Casing	$19.50
32x4	Portage Non-skid Casing	$26.50
30x3	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$12.50
30x3½	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$15.00
30x3½	United States Non-skid Casing	$15.50
32x3½	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$16.50
32x4	United States Smooth Tread Casing	$22.20
30x3	United States Inner Tubes	$ 2.40
30x3½	United States Inner Tubes	$ 2.90
32x3½	United States Inner Tubes	$ 3.25
32x4	United States Inner Tubes	$ 3.75
34x4	United States Inner Tubes	$ 4.00
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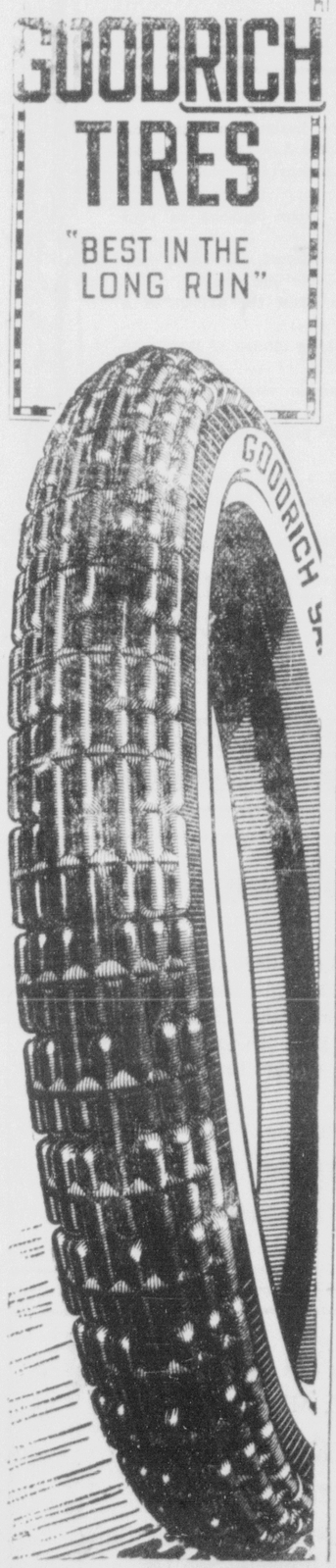

SOCIETY *and* CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

Miss Basford Visiting in St. Joseph.

Miss Della Basford went to St. Joseph this morning where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. J. Doran, during the week.

Lewis-Hanna.

Donald Hanna and Miss Cecil Lewis, both of Clearmont were married Monday at Braddyville, Iowa, The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hanna of Clearmont and his bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Lewis living wst of there.

Hal Cattersons Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Catterson entertained a few friends with an informal evening at their home last night to celebrate Mr. Catterson's birthday anniversary. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Juvenal and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crossan.

Taylor—Garrett

Andrew Garrett and Miss Cecil Taylor, both former residents of Clearmont were married Saturday, March 8, at Denver, Colo. The groom is a brother of Howard Garrett of Clearmont and both he and his bride are well known in Nodaway county.

Blanche Abel Hostess.

Blanch Abel, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abel of Burlington Junction had her sixth birthday Monday and in the afternoon entertained a party of friends who were Wilda and Alberta Jones, Eva Spangler, Elizabeth and Ralph Greenelsh, Freddie Hoffman, Mildred Jones, Marjorie Hankins, Rony and Virginia Gray.

Mrs. Lee Crossan Entertains.

Mrs. Le Crossan entertained at dinner at her home on Normal avenue last night the following guests. Miss Grace Langdon, Misses Rose and Lenora Schumacher and their house guest Miss Schumacher of Green Bay, Wis., Jisses Kittle and Della Grams, Miss Brtha Anderson, Mrs. R. L. McDougal and Mrs. James Anderson.

Tourist Meeting Changed.

The meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club, set for Tuesday afternoon, on account of the anniversary luncheon to be given Monday, has been postponed one week. It will be held Tuesday afternoon Mar. 25, at the Elks club and a lecture on South America will be given by Mr. C. Edwin Wells of the Normal faculty The entire club membership is invited to this lecture.

Society Gives Special Program.

The Women Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to make plans for a special thank offering service to be held Sunday March 23. This service will take place at the morning church hour and there will be a sermon by Dr. G. S. Cox and other special features.

Celebrates Fourth Birthday.

Mrs. Kennard Rogers of Clearmont, entertained a number of children last Tuesday afternoon to celebrate the fourth birthday anniversary of her son Charles. The children present were: Walter Newlon, Harry Green, Oliver Gregory, Mary Jane Newlon and Charles and Elaine Rogers.

Mrs. Loucks Hostess.

Mrs. Mark Loucks of Skidmore, was hostess to the meeting of the Neighborly club Wednesday afternoon when she entertained the members and a few other guests. Mrs. Loucks was assisted by Mrs. J. O. Miller in serving luncheon which was carried out in the club colors of pink and white.

Have Wisconsin Guest.

The Misses Rose and Lenore Schumacher have as their house guest their cousin, Miss Mae Schumacher of Green Bay, Wis. Miss Schumacher will remain for an indefinite visit of a month or more.

Entertain Homemakers.

The Homemakers Circle of the M. E. Church, South, was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. James Blagg and Mrs. R. M. Barry at the home of the former. The Circle extenedd an invitation to Rev. R. C. Holliday, pastor of the church to use the obligation of the society as the basis for a sermon in the near future. An interesting talk "Why I am a Homemaker," by Mrs. M. E. Farrar was most interesting. Twenty-seven members were present. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will b with Mrs. L. P. Colvin and Mrs. W. H. Campbell, hostesses.

Mrs. Lewis Wilson Hostess.

Mrs. Lewis Wilson was hostess to the Merry Minglow Club Thursday afternoon, March 13. The afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. A dainty luncheon wase served by the hostess, aided in serving by Miss Minnie Jaeger, Clara Steins, Mrs. Verlin Conley. The guests were: Mrs. Washington Macer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jaeger and Lewis Wilson. Members present: Mrs. Verlin Conley and children, Mrs. Henry Smock, Mrs. James Lacey, Mrs. T. F. Tallon, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. A. B. Stiens, Mrs. Fred Wallace, Mrs. Will Trullinger, Mrs. H. J. Lind, Mrs. A. Marsh, Misses Minnie Jaeger, Nina, Armstrong, Nettie Smock, Clara Steins, Kathryn Mercer, Teresa Jaeger,. The next meeting will be on March 20th with Mrs. Will Trullinger.

Spend Delightful Afternoon.

Division A of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church entertained the other three divisions with a afternoon at the church Thursday. The program was arranged by Mrs. John Richey and Mrs. W. A. Miller and the numbers given were recitations by Doris Wallace and Vivian Miller, solo numbers by Mrs. Sarah Wright and Mrs. F. P. Robinson, a reading by Mrs. H. W. Metzler, a violin solo by Mrs. Loren Schnabel, a talk by the society president, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, and a vocal solo by Miss Blanche Alexander. Through the courtesy of Mr. H. L. Raines who loaned the instrument, a victrola program was given during the luncheon hour. Tea was poured by Mrs. Walton C. Frank and Mrs. James Colvin and they were assisted by Mrs. J. J. Heifner, Mrs. Frank Roelofson, Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. Rebecca Gray, Mrs. M. L. Grable and Miss Clara Roelofson. One hundred members were entertained.

Birthday Party.

Miss Vivian Lacey entertained a number of her friends to help celebrate her birthday anniversary Monday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. Prizes were awarded to Miss Edith Marsh, Miss Leona Watkins and Dale Marsh. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. James Lacy, Mrs. L. T. McKibban and Leona Watkins. Those present were Misses Edith Marsh, Mabel Monroe, Mildred Looker, Inez Lacy, Della Watkins, Audrey Looker, Hazel Belcher, Lottie Childress, Leona Watkins, Messrs. Cleo Trusty, Lester Childress, Mervin Jones Floyd Allen, Marion Childress, Lester Looker, Chester Jones, Dale Marsh, Okley Belcher, Lemuel Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McKibban and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lacy.

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Forum-ettes

Mickey, the office boy says: Editors is sure forgivin' cusses! A guy kin die an' beat 'em outen eleven years' subscription an' then the editor'll set down an' write half a column about what a fine feller the deceased wuz an' how everybody will miss him!''

A Maryville man says he's going to propose his wife for membership in the United States Marines because their slogan is ''The first to fight.''

We'd be willing to bet a reasonable sum that no married man ever gave a satisfactory answer to that ages old question, ''Would you get married after I should die?''

What has been regarded as airy persiflage between the governors of North Carolina and South Carolina when one of the statesmen remarked to the other, ''It's been a [illegible] drinks,'' is going to mean something when it is spoken in a few years.

Sent In: When Frank Reuillard was down to St. Joe not long ago he boarded an Interrurban car and took a seat along with a very attractive individual. ''Reuilly'' weighs something less than 250; the man who occupied the seat with him weighed perhaps a little over 100. Said the cadaverous one with a chuckle as the conductor collected the fares: ''If they charged by weight you'd have to pay more.'' ''And if they did the car wouldn't stop for you,'' was Frank's quick retort.

Of course not all the wonder tales are true, but what we started to say was that we saw a cat last night in our back yard that had a chicken head. And that reminds us of another curious thing about a certain young lady at whose home we visited recently—she had a cedar chest.

BIG CROP PROSPECT

(Continued from page 1)

out of the county, against usual 12 per cent.

Land Values on Increase.

Land values are jumping and sales are active, with a much larger number of transfers now than for several years The farm labor supply is 10 per cent over last year, but still 20 points under a normal year. By the middle of the season it is expected that the matter will adjust itself.

The acreage of corn, according to investigations just closed, will be reduced from 1918 because of the unprecedented wheat seeding. The oats acreage will be reduced for the same reason. In a few counties where the 1918 corn crop was very short from drought the outlook is for an increase of the oat acreage. The spring seeding of clover is 5 per cent more than last year.

Bright Prospect for Fruit.

The condition of apple buds and trees at this time is 88 per cent normal, with no very serious damage to buds during the winter. In the southern portion of the state buds of early blooming varieties are quite well advanced. However, no serious damage is expected in March, but April is most dangerous for the set of the 1919 apple crop. The condition of peach buds and trees is now 75 per cent of normal, ranging throughout the state from 50 per cent in the north to 90 per cent in the south. No severe damage to buds has occurred on the south side of the Ozark divide.

The condition of Missouri wheat today is 97 per cent, with some damage to exposed knobs in January, and by freezing and thawing during the last two or three weeks while the ground was full wet. Some Hession fly is present in scattering sections, but condition is reported exceptionally good in practically every county. Soil condition is 98 per cent of normal, and in much of the state is above normal, especially in those sections which suffered most severely from drought.

General prospects are mighty good. Soil is well soaked. More plowing was done during the winter than for several years. Spring plowing already begun was stopped by recent rain and snow. Oat seeding has begun, but will be later than in 1917 and 1918. Seeding of spring wheat in several counties began as early as January, not progressing far, however, but the 1919 crop is of more than usual interest. Farm stock sales are unusually numerous, with prices of live stock and foodstuff very attractive. All animals have generally done well, and are coming through the winter in good shape with no epidemics. Forage is scarce, and corn is being shipped into most counties to finish cattle and hogs on feed.

ONE DON'T AFTER ANOTHER

Northwestern Co-Eds Have List Which Bars Even Pink--Plays Havoc With Male Emotions.

Chicago, Ill., March 13.—The life of the fair co-ed at Northwestern University is becoming just one don't after another.

Because certain shades of pink are said to play havoc with male emotions, bingo! ping dresses are barred by Dean Mary Ross Potter. Then again the co-eds no matter what the dance, must keep a good, safe six inches in distance from their dancing partner. Taxicab rides are barred; telephone calls after ten o'clock p. m. are barred, and the doors to all cafes frequented by men have been closed by Dean Mary to the fair co-ed.

Then to top off this the fair co-eds picture must not appear in the newspapers. True, the pictures of the fair co-eds have been appearing in Chicago papers quite frequently here of late, but when a good-looking co-ed busts all rules, figures in an elopement or in other ways makes herself "worth a story" with "art," he would be a heartless editor who would deny the public a peep at the fair co-ed's picture.

But Dean Mary says "no," and to prevent this has ordered all photographs appearing in the Syllabus, the year book, copyrighted to keep the editors from reprinting them. It's hard on the editor, the co-ed and the public, but rules were made to be broken, says one fair co-ed.

Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

Methodist.

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by the pastor. The morning anthem will be, "O, Sing Unto the Lord," (Buck). Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. Evening worship at the usual tiem, with sermon by the pastor and anthem by the choir, "Cast Thy Burden on the Lord," (Hosmer). The Minute Men will speak at both services.

South Methodist.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets, R. C. Holliday, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. with sermon by the presiding elder of the district, Rev. H. D. Thompson. Epworth League at 7:30 with sermon by Rev. Mr. Thompson. Minute men will speak at each service.

Christian.

First Christian, Buchanan and Third Sunday school 9:30. There will be a special program in the main auditorium in charge of the Loyal Women's Class, Mrs. C. B. Roberts, teacher. Special programs will also be given in the Junior and Primary departments. Preaching at 11, sermon by Prof. H. A. Miller, subject, "Mansions of the Soul." Christian Endeavor at 6:30. No evening service.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins, Dr. S. A. Colle, pastor.—Sunday Sunday school at 10 a. m., C. E. Wells, superintendent. Morning worship at 11, sermon by the pastor, subject "A New Emphasis on an Old Truth." Evening: A missionary pageant, "The Spirit of the Westminster Guild," presented by the Guild assisted by the choir and Sunday school orchestra.

Baptist.

First Baptist, corner Market and Jenkins, W. C. Ferguson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock, I. E. Tebow, superintendent. Preaching services at when the pastor will preach on the subject on the subject of "Loyalty to Christ." Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock with sermon by the pastor, "The Untroubled Heart." Minute Men will speak at both services.

Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Substance." There are no Sunday night services. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room in church building open each Wednesday and Saturday afternoons and visitors are always welcome to the use of the reading room and to all services.

Catholic.

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First, Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Stevenson Improving.

Mrs. J. Ward Stevenson of Graham, who has been very ill for the past three week is improving.

OLD CLOTHES DRIVE

ONLY SERVICEABLE ARTICLES DESIRED BY THE RED CROSS

PIECE GOODS WANTED

Time Will Not Be Wasted on Articles Useless to Peoples So Stricken by Destitution.

The clothing collection campaign of March 24-31 for the relief of the destitute peoples of those European and Asiatic countries until a few months since occupied by the Germans will be so handled as to avoid the collection and expense of handling articles of clothing that would be useless to people in a destitute condition. Only such articles of clothing as are useful will be accepted.

Every kind of woolen or cloth garment for men, women and children is urgently needed. In addition, piece goods, light, warm canton flannel, and other kinds of cloth from which to make garments for newly-born babies, ticking, sheeting, blankets, and shoes of every size, as well as scraps of leather for repairing footwear, will be gratefully accepted. The clothes will be subjected to the hardest and continued wear, therefore, only garments of strong and durable materials should be given. The clothing and materials need not be in perfect condition, for many thousand women in these countries would be employed in making the clothing adaptable to wear and the needs of the people to whom it will be given. Men's shirts and pajamas, so worn and shrunken as no longer to be serviceable, are particularly welcome, for the material can be used for making garments for children.

Such articles as flimsy dresses, silk, straw and derby hats, hat trimmings, feathers, umbrellas, mattresses, clocks, glassware, carpets, toys, collars, neckties, canes, parasols, pillows, crockery, rugs, etc., will not be accepted. They are of no use to the people in the devastated sections of Europe. They merely consume transportation space and charges, take time to be sorted from useful things and cause a waste of time and money in collection and handling. The problem is of such great magnitude that the time and funds of the Red Cross must be employed in only constructive efforts and will not be wasted on articles useless to peoples so stricken by destitution.

A Notable.

From the Indianapolis News.

One of the collectors of ashes for the city of Indianapolis was at work in an alley one day recently. He was a large negro, and a property owner stood in the back yard marveling at the ease with which the man handled large barrels of ashes.

"You're a fine specimen of manhodd," said the admirer of the collector of ashes. "What's your name?"

"George Washington is my name, sir," replied the negro.

"Let me see," replied the property owner, "it seems to me I've heard that name before somewhere."

"Yes, sir; I guess you have, boss," replied the negro; "I've been collectin' ashes in this neighborhood onto seven years now."

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Those prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 acre tract, 6 room house, all kinds of fruit on place, city water and 2 good wells, plenty of outbuildings, and good barn. Carl Riffle, Han. 420. M3-tf.

FOR SALE—6 young mares, green broke, sell on time with bankable note, also 2x5 galvanized tank, used less than 60 days. Carl Riffle, Hano. 420. M3tf.

NOW READY with a full line of garden seeds, both bulk and package, onion sets, pure Early Ohio seed potatoes. Field seed a specialty. I also handle shorts, oil meal, chicken feed, including Purina Chicken Chowder, oyster shell, sugar, flour, crackers, fresh bread and a small line of up-to-date groceries. R. S. Braniger. 26tf

FOR SALE—10 H. P. Falk kerosene engine, inquire of Will Heekin, Conception Jct. 15-18*

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. R.; 65c for setting of 15. Mrs. J. C. Archer, Han. 3536. 15-18.

MOONSHINE FOR SALE in jugs, per pint $1.25. First come first served. D. E. Vert, 6th and Main Sts. 10tf.

For Sale—Six pure bred Plymouth Rock hens and cockerel; also hen and young chicks. 704 North Mulberry street.

HAVING rented a part of my farm, will sell my Wallis tractor, 3-bottom Case plow, and tandem disc. All practically new, price reasonable. Inquire of Jesse Douglas, 3 miles southwest of Maryville, Farmers phone 23-0-15. M7tf

Wood For Sale—A few cords of wood delivered anywhere in town, at a price to sell quick. Also a few hundred good posts. Good yellow seed corn. Call Hanamo 4x Saunders Bros. 11tf

FOR SALE—Early Ohio Seed potatoes; also ground for rent. 517 North Water St. Mrs. S. C. Alden.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good 40 H. P. Oakland in good condition. Inquire of Carl Burke, Hopkins, Mo. 12-15*

FOR SALE—1918 model Ford Sedan, 1917 Roadster, new Ford truck and 1917 model Ford touring car. Russell Bagby. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Spring wheat for seed. A. C. Nicholas. Hanamo phone 370; Farmers 108. 13-15

FOR SALE—Amaza rug cleaner. See Russell Burris or phone Han. 8. 13-15*

A car of Franklin County, Ill., coal on Wabash track on Friday and Saturday. A. S. Robey. 13-15*

For Sale—19 head of fall shots, weight, 100 to 115. Vaccinated double treatment. Jess Dowden, phone 115, route 3. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Barn hay; alfalfa, baled has all the leaves on. A. L. Oakerson, Maryville, Mo., Route 1. 13-15.

For Sale—R. C. White Leghorn eggs, $5.00 per 100. Jess Dowden, phone 115, route 3. 13-26*

FOR SALE OR RENT—6 large room house, lights, cement cave, good garden spot, some fruit, and good well. Jas T. Hays, Hanamo 575. m-14-tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs $5.00, baby chicks $17.50 per 100. Ernest Wells, Ravenwood, Mo.

MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted—A lady to come once a week and do family washing. Mrs. Ed Brewer, 315 S Market St. Hanamo 554 11tf

WANTED—Job on farm, married man, Earl Davis, 615 East Thompson St. 15-18*

WANTED—Man with family to work on farm. Call Farmers Phone 27 14-17.

Will exchange 6 room house in St. Joseph for good Maryville property. See or write W. G. Sawyers, Maryville. 13-15*

SHAVE 15c; HAIRCUT 25c; EVERY DAY IN WEEK. R. O. YEAMAN, 209 THIRD STREET. 13-15*

[illegible] to come once a week [illegible] this office.

sne by calling and paying for this adv. 13-15

LOST—Scotch collie dog. Color yellow and white. Has been gone a month. Reward. Paul Sisson. M11tf.

A MODERN BARBER SHOP, sterilized tools, electrical equipment, first class work always. That's a few of the reasons why PARTICULAR PEOPLE patronize Protzman's Place. New location under First Nat'l Bank. 14-17*

WANTED—To engage for two or three months a competent girl to do household work for my daughter living in Omaha. Good wages. U. S. Wright, Hanamo 605. 15-16*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One farm of 260 acres; one farm of 80 acres and one 5-acre tract inside the city limits; possession can be had at once on any of these. See Allen Brothers. 14-17.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 107 North Buchanan St. Mrs. M. E. Farrar. 13-15.

FOR RENT—Two houses, 1 10-room modern house; also 1 8-room house with good well, cistern and basement. D. S. Angell. Hanamo 4564. 13-15.

FOR RENT — Dwelling, 7 large rooms, electric lights, cellar, barn, on paved street, ¼ block—$12.50. East 2nd St. Dwelling—6 rooms, cellar, barn, electric lights. So. Main St.—$12.00. Dwelling—6 rooms, cellar, 1 block public square. Clean and nice—$12.00. Two ground floor offices, best in the city, on public square. Chas. Hyslop. M6-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room for a school girl at 616 North Fillmore. Call Hanamo 6667. tf

HOUSE FOR RENT — Close in. Phone Hanamo 556. 3-11 tf

WANTED TO RENT—Good house, close in. Write in care of P. O. Box 276. M7tf*

YOUR RENT MONEY will buy a farm in NORTHEASTERN COLORADO $16.00 per acre, up. Good terms. Geo. H. Meek. 14-17*

FARMER, RENTER, INVESTOR—We own and control 12,000 acres of as fertile and productive land as in Illinois or Iowa, well located in eastern Colorado, Cheyenne Co., good schools, roads, ready for the plow, and near thriving towns on main line of Union Pacific railroad. Will sell in tracts of 160 acres or more, write us for particulars. G. R. Lemmer & Co., 929 Marquette Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 15

Announcement.

Having decided to resume my practice of dentistry in Maryville, I am located in Dr. Jesse Miller's office, where I will be pleased to meet any of my former patients. Dr. E. C. Braniger. 13-15.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, Mar. 15—March corn $1.44½; May $1.41½; July $1.35¼.

Kansas City, Mar. 15—Cattle—Receipts, 500; no market.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; top, $18.85; bulk, $18.25 @ $18.75.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	30c
Hides, per lb	12c
Hens, per pound	22c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per lb	15c
Turkeys, per lb	17c@25c
Young roosters, per lb	18c
Old roosters, per lb	14c
Butter fat, per pound	56c

Why the Hair Stands on End.

From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Did you ever stop to think why the gooseflesh rises on your body and the hair on the cat's or dog's back bristles up when either animal is frightened? Of course, there's a reason. The hair follicle is like a little seed buried in the flesh. Attached to either side of this seed are tiny muscles which run diagonally through the flesh from the lower part of the follicle. These little muscles are like the guy ropes of a tent or the wires sometimes used to keep a telephone pole straight. They are what are called the erector muscles and when fear or cold is experienced these muscles promptly tighten up in such a manner as to "hoist" the hair very quickly, and we describe the result as "gooseflesh" or "the hair standing on end." The erector muscles are larger and stronger in animals than in peoples, and so we frequently see the cat with the bristling tail and back and the dog with a similar exhibition of the erector phenomenon.

A returned soldier says he worked at one time for more than twenty-four hours on nothing but a bowl of soup. That's nothing. We know a man out in our neighborhood who worked nearly a week on nothing but a dog house.

AUTO WAS TOO SLOW

PIONEER FARMER SUPPLANTS CAR WITH 2-SEATED AIRPLANE

ORDERS $5,000 MACHINE

Geo. Kounkel Says Automobiles and Railroads For Transportation Are Getting Old-Fashioned.

Aylesbury, Sask., March 13.—George Kounkel, a pioneer farmer, is the first man in Saskatchewan to buy an airplane. He has just placed an order for a $5,000 two-seated flying machine.

Kounkel came in when the country was wild prairie. When strangers come to town he is frequently pointed out as "there is one of our oldest pioneers." The stranger expects to see a Daniel Boone type of patriarch with long, snowy beard, in coon-skin cap, fringed buckskins and moccasins. Before his startled eyes Kounkel steps from a gleaming limousine, a fashionably tailored, immaculately groomed pioneer wearing kid gloves.

Kounkel broke his first land with an ox team himself. He evolved out of the ox team age into the era of horses. Then he took another step along the road of progress and imported an automobile. His neighbors stared at it as at some weird monster from another world. Now Kounkel cultivates his land with giant tractors, and there is scarcely a farmer in all the country who does not own an automobile. Kounkel owns three.

But if the farmers have changed the country, the co-operative movement has changed the farmers. They are no longer mere tillers of the soil. They market their own grain and livestock, appraise and sell land to settlers, deal in coal, lumber and farm supplies, all on a co-operative basis. They are big business men now, with their fingers on the pulse of foreign markets.

Kounkel, as a business-man-farmer, has to take many long trips—to Regina Saskatoon, Winnipeg. Automobiles and railways used to be all right for that sort of thing, but they are slow and old-fashioned. So in an airplane Kounkel will soon be making his business trip through blue leagues of air to distant cities and back again in time for dinner.

HERE'S REAL MANLESS EDEN

Twenty-one Widows and Six Maidens, and the Only Eligible Man Died With the Influenza.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 13.—A manless Eden in which there are twenty-one widows, six maiden ladies, many girls of marriageable age and the only eligible man dead of influenza is described by Mrs. Alice M. West, seeking a husband, to R. S. (Cupid) Sparks, of the local marriage license bureau. Mrs. West writes that for a woman like herself who had been married for thirty years the place is "quite terrifying."

"I have made of housework a science and art," writes Mrs. West. "I want a husband and a real home where there are flowers, chickens and a cow. I am just past fifty, but still young in appearance. There are twenty-one widows, maiden ladies and many girls of marriageable age in this town. The only eligible man has just died of the 'flu.' If there is a man in Southern California who needs a woman like me to keep his home and share his life let me get in touch with him."

"Cupid" Sparks recent experiences, which have caused him to be swamped with mail entrusted to his care from men answering the appeals of women seeking husbands, have caused him to dodge further responsibility in such matters and he has advised that Mrs. West's mail must be sent in care of the local postoffice. Sparks' has refused to reveal the names of the "lonesomest" town.

Spend Day in St. Joseph.

Miss Lucile Holmes and Miss Mary Sewell went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Many a man is a real hero, yet he gets no Carnegie medal or service stripe. He is the man who supports a wife and six children on $75 a month.

Rags Wanted

We want a quantity of good clean old rags, free from lint and buttons. If you have any for sale, bring them in.

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WHY NOT ADOPT PLAN HERE

Kansas City War Memorial Committee to Hold Neighborhood Meetings to Secure Public Expression.

From the Kansas City Times:

More than sixty thousand invitations to be present at the neighborhood meetings of the Committee on Public Opinion of the Liberty Memorial Association, will be distributed immediately by the students of the ward and high schools.

That was determined yesterday at the meeting of the committee.

The purpose of these meetings is to give a greater opportunity for the people of Kansas City to definitely express themselves relative to the general type and location of the memorial. It was the opinion that more interest in the project would be stimulated in the city if the meetings were carried directly to the people, instead of relying upon their attendance at the regular weekly gatherings of the memorial association.

Mr. Beardsley reported that since the last meeting of the committee he had met with the superintendent of schools and the principals of all the high schools and arrangements had been made for special numbers at each meeting by the high school orchestras and glee clubs. Stereoptican machines and operators at each school will show slides of the world's great memorials that have been seen by the members of the joint committees.

Bishop Thomas F. Lillis agreed to make arrangements for the distribution of the cards of invitation through the parochial schools.

The committee at the meeting tonight will recommend that all the memorial suggestions be classified under six definite heads. At the meeting a week from today it is the intention to have the definite type presented by six champions. That will give a review of the suggestions with a capable presentation of each type before the final vote is taken.

USE PLANES IN OIL FIELD.

Wichita, Kan., March 13.—Flying to the Texas oil fields with passengers is the latest "stunt," according to Elmer Corn, formerly of this city, who is now a broker in Fort Worth. Writing to a friend here he said:

"Some ex-soldiers are putting a proposition over for $150,000 and have five machines and fly with passengers from Fort Worth to the Ranger and Burkburnette fields. This is the first time air service has been used to carry passengers."

SLOW UP CUPID'S WORK.

Jefferson City, March 13.—Cupid will no longer be able to pierce the hearts of a man and woman and have them wedded in a few minutes after their meeting, if a bill introduced in the legislature here is passed. It will require more time and money for Cupid to turn the trick.

The bill provides that the names of each couple seeking a license must be advertised for five days by the Recorder of Deeds before it can be issued.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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THOS JACKSON.
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HE, 90, AND SHE, 85, DANCE.

St. Louis, March 13.—Modern dancing was the chief delight of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kessler, aged ninety and eighty-five years respectively, when they celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary here recently. Their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present.

(First Insertion March 15, last insertion March 30.)

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 1st, 1919, at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, held for City election, there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Maryville School District, being District number 97, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the Board of Directors.

That there will also be submitted a proposition to levy a tax of two and one-half mills on the dollar on the taxable property of the district for the purpose of creating a buildig fund with which to erect and furnish a new school building for the colored children of this school district.

Also the election of two directors for the next ensuing term of three years each.

Done by order of the Board of Directors this 13th day of March, A. D., 1919.

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KANSAS TOWN TO HONOR HEROES

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Independence, Kan., March 13.—The City Commissioners of Independence have selected a medal to be presented to every soldier receiving mail at the post-office at the time they responded to their country's call. The medal, made of bronze, consists of a bar pin, on which will be engraved the name, with a pendant suspended. The pendant, in the shape of a cross, with a spread eagle in relief on the face, will have engraved on the back:

"Presented by the people of the city of Independence, Kan., in grateful recognition of patriotic services in the world war."

PRETTY GIRL WAS HUN AGENT

Miss Guadalupe Ledesma, 16, Used Disguises to Get Across Rio Grande with Propaganda.

Laredo, Texas, March 13.—Among the numerous cases which will come up for disposition by the April term of the United States Court for the Southern District of Texas in this city will be one of particular inter-national interest, that being the case of Miss Guadalupe Ledesma, a beautiful Mexican girl aged about sixteen years, who was in the employ of the German propagandists between Laredo, Texas, and Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

Miss Ledesma was arrested by Department of Justice officials here just before signing of the armistice. At a preliminary hearing held a few days later the girl pleaded not guilty, but when incriminating evidence taken from her when she was arrested was produced and she was quizzed she refused to talk.

It was proven by evidence adduced at the preliminary hearing that Miss Ledesma had been in the employ of the German agents in Nuevo Laredo as messenger to carry information from the American to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande since early in August, 1918, and that she had acted in a very clever and cunning manner to accomplish her objects, sometimes borrowing passports of others and disguising herself or coming to the American side and remaining several days, or as long as was necessary to get the information that she desired.

After hearing the evidence adduced at the trial United States Commissioner Foster bound Miss Ledesma over to the Federal Grand Jury in the sum of $1,000, which was later furnished by Melquiades Garcia, the Mexican Consul in Laredo, whereupon she was released.

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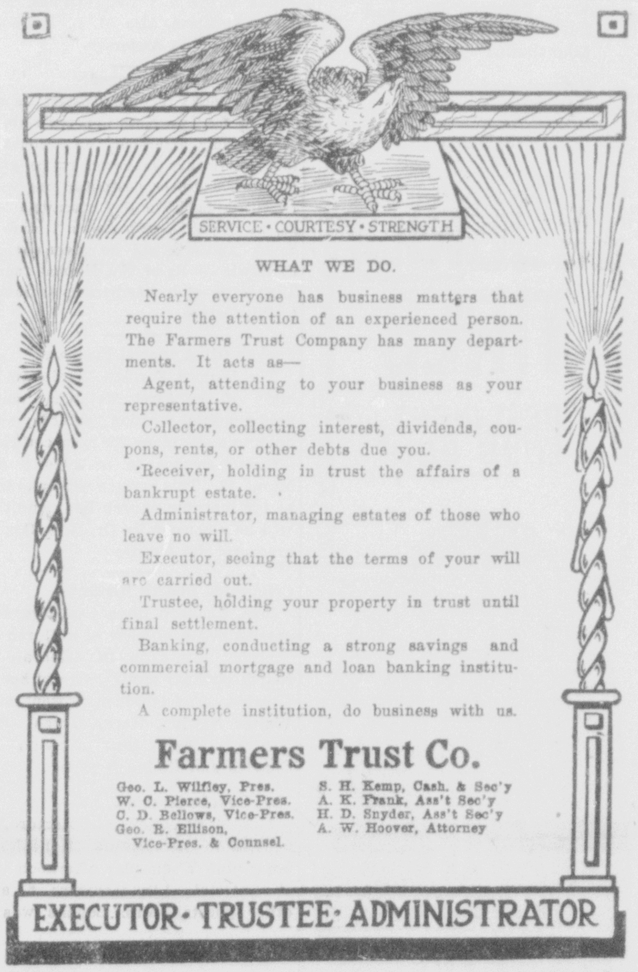

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